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FLORISTS AND NURSERYMEN

*Our 53rd Year of Satisfactory Service
to Valued Customers*

Tulips, Peonies, Lilies,
Crocus, Hyacinths
Iris, Perennials for
Fall Planting



Giant Darwin Tulips

FARNCOMBE SANDERS—One of the largest and most beautiful of all Darwins; color brilliant, dark rosy red, with a clear white base.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH—Soft deep rose slightly edged.

REV. EWBANK—Silvery heliotrope, darkening to lavender and violet at base.

Price, one each of the 3 for 25c; 95c per dozen, for any of the above named varieties.



Giant Breeder Tulips

This class is similar to the Darwins, except in colors. If you want something different and of real artistic merit try these:

MOODY—Purplish violet, edged bronze.

JAUNE D'OEUF—Rose lilac, broadly edged yellow.

APRICOT—Apricot, flushed orange.

ROI DE SIAM—Purple violet, very fine.

Price, one each of the 4 for 50c, \$1.25 per dozen, for any of the above named varieties.



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SPRINGFIELD, (*Innisfallen Greenhouses*) **OHIO**

GIANT DARWIN TULIPS

Price, 7c each; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, Postpaid.

The Giant Darwin Tulips are late flowering Garden Tulips, and produce very large bowl-formed flowers of symmetrical shape and lasting wax-like substance on tall, strong stems; two to three feet high, and are exceedingly beautiful and effective grown in groups, in the shrubbery or herbaceous border, or in gardens with a background of greenery. They by far surpass in color and brilliancy anything before known in Tulips. They include almost every conceivable color and shade. Tulip bulbs should be set 3 inches deep, about 6 inches apart, in rows 8 to 10 inches apart.

ISIS—Fiery crimson-scarlet with blue base, large and beautiful.

WILLIAM COPELAND—Lavender, the earliest of all Darwins.

MAUVE CLAIR—Lilac mauve, very beautiful.

NAUTICAS—Purplish-rose, with dark violet base shaded bronze; very large flower on a tall stem.

ORION—Enormous flower, brilliant dark scarlet with blue center.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM—Brilliant rosy-carmine with blue base. This is one of the oldest varieties, but hard to beat yet in color and size. Most flowers have more than six petals, which makes them look semi-double sometimes. It will remain a standard variety as long as Darwins are used.

TULIPE NOIR—Rich, glossy black-maroon, one of the best dark varieties. A popular novelty.

WHITE QUEEN—White. Can be called the only white Darwin. It opens rosy-white, but passes off pure white. One of the most popular varieties, which can be easily forced.

YELLOW DARWIN (New)—A beautiful and striking Tulip having a fine deep yellow flower; color, solid; very fine.

ZULU—Rich velvety purple-black, large egg-shaped flower.

BARONNE DE LA TONNAYE—A long and beautiful flower; clear carmine-rose at the midrib, toning off to soft pink on the edges; base white, tinged blue; height twenty-four inches. The leading bedder of the pink Darwins, keeping its brightness and standing upright to the last, no matter what kind of weather it is in.

BARTIGON—One of the most popular scarlets. The flower is large and carried on a tall, stiff, stem.

CLARA BUTT—A large flower of remarkable beauty; coloring an exquisite shade of soft salmon-pink shaded rose; height 20 inches.

DREAM—A very large deep violet.

GLOW—Bright crimson-scarlet. A variety of unsurpassed qualities for bedding, but too little known. The unusually tall and strong stem holds the big flower up perfectly. The flower lasts very long and the bright crimson color never fades. One of the brightest and best of the Darwins.



Darwin Tulips

SUPERFINE, MIXED DARWIN TULIPS

Our supply of these comes from a specialist who grows over fifty sorts, most of which are represented in this mixture. Price, 65c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100. (50 at 100 rate).

Late or May-Flowering Cottage Garden Tulips

Coming into bloom two or three weeks later than the early flowering types, and extending the Tulip season over a period of four weeks or more. On account of their extreme hardness, they are specially adapted for the permanent hardy flower border, where they should be liberally planted in clumps or masses. They may be naturalized in grass, wild gardens, etc. For bedding they are superb, while as cut flowers, having long stems with flowers of great substance, they stand in perfect condition for a long time. In planting, the bulbs should be set a little deeper than early Tulips, a covering of four inches being about right.

LEADING VARIETIES OF GARDEN TULIPS

Price 7c each; 75c per dozen, \$6.00 per 100.

Our Collection embraces all the best types of the Garden Tulip and Your order should include at least a few of these most satisfactory bulbs. This Beautiful Class is Now Very Popular.

CALEDONIA — Orange scarlet, black center. Large symmetrical flowers.

FAIRY QUEEN—Rosy-heliotope, with a broad yellow margin; color is absolutely unique. The flowers each have long, graceful stems, making it an enormous size, last very long and ideal for bouquets.

GESNERIANA LUTEA—One of the very best bedding Tulips, hardy and long-stemmed; pure golden yellow.

GESNERIANA SPATULATA — The grandest Tulip in existence. Tall growing and late blooming, with large, leaves and tall, erect flower stalks, which support great waxen blooms, larger than teacups, of the most vivid, glossy coral red, each flower showing a deep blue-black blotch at the base that further enhances its beauty; in bloom a long time.

GLARE OF THE GARDEN — Bright crimson-red, black center.

GOLDEN CROWN—Brilliant crimson with yellow center; long flower with reflexing petals, an attractive Tulip for bedding and very good for late forcing.

INGLESOMBE PINK—Delicate rose. Pink-tinted salmon; blue green center.

ORANGE KING—Deep orange, beautiful flower.

PICOTEE (Maiden's Blush)—This is one of the finest of late Tulips, pure white with brilliant rose edging, large flower on stout stem. A dainty flower of exquisite beauty.

PARISIAN WHITE—Large white reflexed petals, margined rosy-red, a very attractive flower. One of the finest.

PARISIAN YELLOW—Bright yellow, with darker yellow center; large pointed flower. Very attractive among shrubbery.

PLUTO—A tall stem. Large long flower. Very fine pink.



Cottage Tulips

GARDEN TULIPS IN BEST MIXTURE, 70c. PER DOZ., \$5.50 PER 100.

EXTRA SPECIAL - -

For all orders sent in during the month of September you may select an EXTRA 5 PER CENT in Bulbs, Plants or Seeds. This is IN ADDITION to all other premiums or discounts and good only for orders sent in during the month of September. GET YOUR ORDER IN EARLY.

GEO. H. MELLEN CO., Springfield, Ohio

1930

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SEND YOUR ORDER NOW And be promptly served with the best of everything we offer. We enclose with this Catalogue an addressed envelope and order sheet which will be convenient in making a list of the Bulbs and Plants wanted. Please write only one variety on a line. BE VERY SURE before mailing your order that you have written your NAME, POSTOFFICE, COUNTY and STATE PLAINLY, so there can be no mistake. FORWARD MONEY with order, and at our risk, if sent by registered letter, postoffice money order, bank draft, cash by express, or express money order.

THIS LIST CANCELS ALL PREVIOUS OFFERS

FREE BY MAIL Unless otherwise stated, all articles offered will be sent free by mail, at the prices named in this Catalogue, to any part of the United States. This brings them to the doors of our customers without trouble or expense.

BY EXPRESS If a package is ordered to go by express, we do not pay the charges, unless otherwise stated in offer. The express companies carry our goods at low rates.

THERE IS NO CLASS OF FLOWERS so much prized as those which are produced from bulbs. Closely following the disappearance of snow and long before ordinary outdoor flowers are in bloom, we may have, in their perfection, the hardy Crocus; then the fragrant and stately Hyacinths; a little later the varied and brilliant Tulips. These give an air of distinction and refinement to any lawn or garden, affording much pleasure to all who pass by.

WHEN TO PLANT We would particularly emphasize the fact that fall and not spring is the time to plant all kinds of spring flowering bulbs. The bulbs should be planted as soon after September as possible, so that the roots will make good growth before the cold weather sets in. They may be set out from then until the ground becomes frozen. They require a moderately rich soil. When the ground freezes hard, the bed should be covered with three or four inches of leaves or dry litter. Too early and heavy covering starts the tops prematurely. In the spring the covering should be carefully removed.

EXTRA SELECTIONS FREE

Make up a Club Order among your friends and neighbors. Everyone has an acquaintance who, if aware of the fact that you were sending for flowers, would join you in sending their order.

We give you the following liberal discounts. It will be well worth your while to interest your friends.

MAIL ORDERS

For every dollar you send us for plants, seeds or bulbs to go by mail (postage paid by us) select 10c extra. To illustrate: Say you send us \$3.00; select 30c extra, and so on.

EXPRESS ORDERS

For every dollar you send us for plants, seeds or bulbs to go by express (purchaser paying express charges when delivered) select 20c extra. To illustrate: Say you send us \$6.00; Select \$1.20 extra, or a total of \$7.20.

NOTE—No extra selection is allowed on SPECIAL OFFERS or COLLECTIONS and other items where noted.

HARDY LILIES FOR FALL PLANTING

LILY CANDIDUM

ALSO KNOWN AS MADONNA OR ANNUNCIATION LILY

Imported by us direct from France

The old-fashioned pure white garden Lily. One of the hardest flowers, snow-white, with yellow stamens and sweetest fragrance. It must be planted in the early autumn to succeed well, as it makes its leaf growth at once after planting, and prepares itself for early flowering. As spotlessly pure as the Easter, but with broad, widely opened flowers. Tall and stately growing and a

sure bloomer. Fragrant. Large bulbs, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00; 12 for \$2.50.

HARDY REGAL OR ROYAL LILY

"One of the most beautiful of all known lilies. Highly recommended for general culture both for the open ground and for pots."

The outside of the flower is white, very faintly tinged with yellow at the base of the trumpet, and with pink at the point. The midribs are purple. Mature bulbs produce plants 3 to 4 feet high, bearing 3 to 10 flowers. Price, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; 6 for \$1.75.

Our "Rainbow" Collection of Hyacinths

An increasing number of this collection is sold each year, which is proof of its popularity. For bedding Out in the Fall, or for House Culture in Pots and Boxes. Superb Mixture and Color.

In this collection of twenty bulbs we have chosen two each of the most distinct colors of this beautiful flower; this will give a grand effect when massed in a bed, and will show all the colors in striking contrast. The collection will consist of twenty Single Hyacinths, in the following named order:

TWO SINGLE BRIGHT RED.	TWO SINGLE PURE PINK.	TWO SINGLE ORANGE YELLOW.
TWO SINGLE DARK BLUE.	TWO SINGLE BEST ROSE.	TWO SINGLE FINE LILAC.
TWO SINGLE LEMON YELLOW.	TWO SINGLE LIGHT BLUE.	TWO SINGLE BLUSH WHITE.
TWO SINGLE PURE WHITE.		

WE WILL SEND THE "RAINBOW" COLLECTION FOR \$2.50 MAIL OR EXPRESS PREPAID.

Each Bulb is Wrapped and Labeled. Showing Color. You will not be disappointed in this Collection.

These are selected unnamed sorts, and are chiefly used for outdoor planting, but can also be used for pot culture, although we advise using the named varieties for house culture. These are just about what is wanted for massing in borders or display beds. These bulbs are the product of one of the best growers in Holland, and are good size, solid and will produce splendid flowers.

We offer Hyacinths for Bedding in the following separate colors, single flowering: Pink, Red, Pure White, Blush White, Light Blue, Yellow and All Colors Mixed.

Price, 12c each; \$1.25 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100, by Parcel Post, Prepaid.

SPECIAL EXPRESS OFFER OF UNNAMED HYACINTHS

(NO EXTRAS ALLOWED ON THIS OFFER)

For \$10.00 we will send by express (purchaser paying the charges), 100 Hyacinths in any color or colors, which will make a bed of fifteen feet in circumference or five feet in diameter, composed of five rows planted six inches apart. If your bed should be of another shape or larger, and would require more than 100, we will send them at the same rate.

PLANT HYACINTH BULBS SIX INCHES APART EACH WAY.

OUR GENERAL CATALOG

For next Spring will be ready early in January. All purchasers from this Catalog, and all who have been customers the previous year, will receive a copy at the time it is issued, and without applying for it; others wishing it, please write for it. It is free.

Named Dutch Hyacinths

LARGE, PERFECT BULBS OF FINEST QUALITY

We have endeavored to get the very best in quality from best Holland growers. We import direct from the best known growers and customers may be assured that no better bulbs are to be had for the price.

For winter and early spring flowering nothing surpasses the Hyacinth. It is sure to bloom and give satisfaction in the house during the winter or in the garden in early spring. Its large spikes resemble nothing else in cultivation. Rather than offer a long, confusing list of varieties, we have carefully selected a list, embracing all the shades of this beautiful flower, each one being the largest, strongest and best of its color. Plant Hyacinth bulbs 4 inches deep.

On account of scarcity and high price of **DOUBLE FLOWERING HYACINTHS**, we do not offer them this season. The single flowering varieties are fast displacing them.

Specially Selected Hyacinths

This list contains such only as are real beauties, and a few varieties, which are not entirely new, but to which we wish to draw your special attention. Price, 15c each, six for 80c, 12 for \$1.50.

ARENTEINE ARENSEN

Snow-white. The spike is unusually well filled and has a perfect round shape. The broad, wide open petals are of intense whiteness and make the flower look unusually bright and pretty.

BUFF BEAUTY

Buff orange-yellow, long narrow truss on strong stem. A very peculiar color.

GENERAL DE WET

Light pink. Splendid for bedding as well as for forcing. The medium sized bells are of a lively light pink color with a lighter center and form a big, loose spike.

LADY DERBY

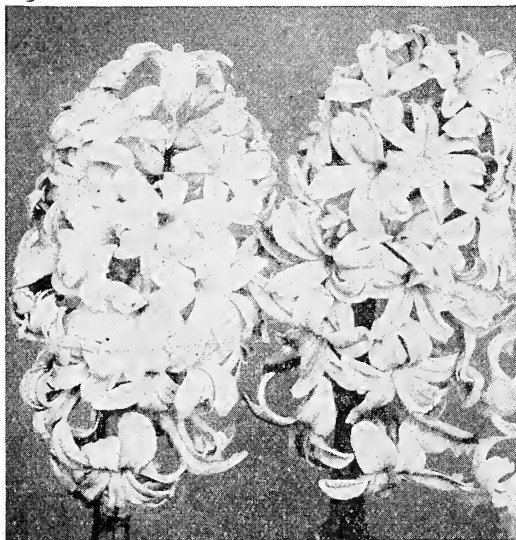
Bright rose-pink. Is rapidly becoming the leading pink pot hyacinth owing to its lovely shade of pink, its perfect spike on a strong stem and its splendid forcing qualities.

MYOSOTIS (FORGET-ME-NOT)

Beautiful blue, the only variety of this shade, large, strong spikes. Early flowering.

PERLE BRILLIANT

Light blue, tinged lavender. Produces an enormous spike of perfect shape and a big, smooth bulb. One of the best of the latest blue varieties.



Dutch Hyacinths

Eight Superfine Single Hyacinths

We consider the Single Hyacinths more useful and valuable than the double varieties. They are better for forcing, more vigorous in growth, and produce stronger spikes of bloom; which are generally of better substance.

Price, 14 cents each, or the Full Set of Eight for \$1.10, postpaid.

INNOCENCE—Pure white, very large, compact spike, fine for early forcing.

GERTRUDE—Dark pink. The most popular pot and bedding Hyacinth, owing to its color and compact growth. Grown in larger quantities than any other kind.

GIGANTEA—Large, tall spike; large and very shapely, with drooping bells. Flowers shell-pink inside and deep pink outside, touched with violet. A superb sort.

GRANDE BLANCHE—Blush-white. Called also the white Regulus, being a sport of this old variety. Splendid bedder and early forcer.

KING OF THE BLUES—Rich dark blue, the finest

of the deep blues; extra large, well furnished broad spikes with large bells; erect and fine for pots.

KING OF THE BELGIANS—Bright scarlet. The most popular of the scarlets. Its upright well-filled spikes make it a good pot Hyacinth and as clear bright colors are mostly used for bedding, it is one of the most popular bedders. Immense stock.

LORD BALFOUR—Lilac-rose tinged dark violet; very early, enormous truss; the best in its color.

YELLOW HAMMER—Golden-yellow. The most popular of the yellows and a splendid forcer. The medium sized bells form a very compact, ball-shaped truss, which makes one think of a hammer, hence its name.

BREEDER TULIPS

DISTINCT FROM ALL OTHERS

A distinct class of late flowering Tulips, allied to the Darwin and Cottage types, which is just now enjoying a revival of its old time prestige. The present popularity of "art tones" in all classes of flowers is mainly responsible for this quickened interest, the Breeders furnishing beautiful combinations of dull or soft tones in buff, reds, browns, bronze or purple, in extremely large and well-shaped flowers; very long stems.

Not well adapted to forcing, but of superior value in every out-door usage.

PRICE—3c each; set of 6 for 45c; 75c per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.

CILIO (Bronze Queen)—Light bronze; very fine.

CHESTNUT—Very dark brown, almost black, shows off splendidly when planted together with a yellow Tulip.

LA VICTOIRE—Heavenly blue, late, extra, very striking.

NOIR VERITABLE—Very dark violet, long known as the Black Tulip.

PANORAMA—Dark orange red. We recommend it highly.

SUNRISE—Ruddy apricot with yellow edge. The red color on the outside grows lighter towards the edge, an odd but attractive variety.



Sunrise

FOR OTHER VARIETIES, SEE FIRST PAGE OF COVER.

BREEDERS IN SPLENDID MIXTURE, 65c PER DOZEN; \$6.00 PER 100.

Superior Set of 12 Extra Fine Early Tulips

We here offer a set of twelve Superior Tulips specially selected by one of our Holland bulb growers. Each one is a gem of special merit, and all are of recent introduction. Of course the cost is a little more, but we believe you will find them well worth it. Let us send you a set of these superb Tulips. Price, 8c each; 85c for full set of twelve. Ask for "SUPERIOR" Set.

SINGLE FLOWERED

***COLEUR CARDINAL**—(T.) Brilliant crimson, flowers of great substance; splendid for bedding or forcing.

FLAMINGO—White flaked bright carmine-rose; artistic shape with more or less crinkled petals. A forcing variety of great merit.

***GOLDEN HORN**—(M.) Pale yellow, shaded to rich golden tipped brownish-red; splendid forcer.

***JEANNETTE**—(D.) Crimson, edged old rose, a sport of Cottage Maid. Splendid for bedding.

***PROSPERINE**—(M.) Rich, silky, carmine-rose. The beautifully shaped, large flower with its rich color can be seen at Christmas in every florist's window.

WHITE HAWK—Pure white, very large flowers of great substance which last very long.

DOUBLE FLOWERED

***CROWN OF GOLD**—(M.) Large flower, very double, rich golden-yellow, shaded orange. A fine garden Tulip and one of the best double yellows for winter forcing.

***LORD BEACONSFIELD**—(M.) Fine new color, a bright cherry-rose, yellow base zoned blush-white; double flowers.

***SCHOONOORD**—(M.) Snow-white. Another beautiful sport of "Murillo", produces a large flower of the most intense white. Undoubtedly the best double white Tulip in cultivation.

***SCARLET EMPEROR**—(M.) Splendid bright scarlet, a fine full double. A fine Tulip for bedding and the finest of all double scarlets for forcing for winter flowers.

TURBAN VIOLET—(M.) Brilliant magenta-lilac, a unique shade in Tulips; big flower on strong stems; very attractive.

WHITE QUEEN—Pure white, the most charming white Tulip, extra large.

CHOICE SINGLE EARLY FLOWERING TULIPS

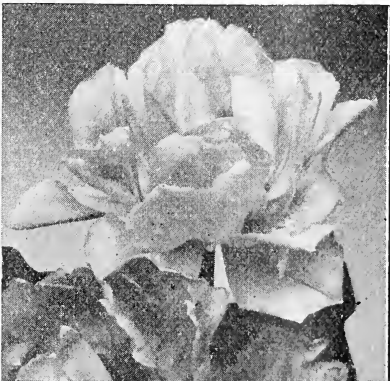
The culture of Tulips is the same as that of Hyacinths except that the bulbs should be planted about three inches deep and four to six inches apart. Tulips are perfectly hardy, so only a slight protection is required from extreme cold and sharp winds.

NOTE—The varieties marked with a * are equally good for pot culture and for bedding. The letters D, M or T indicate the comparative height when grown outdoors, whether Dwarf, Medium or Tall, each bulb is wrapped and labeled true to name.

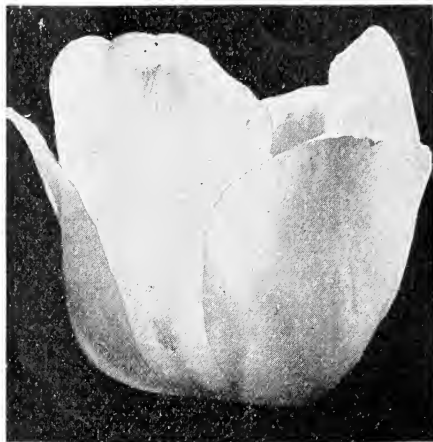
PRICE, 7c each; 6 for 40c; \$6.50 per 100, Postpaid, Except Where Noted.

***CRAMOISI BRILLIANT**—(T.) Scarlet, an early forcer of great merit.

COTTAGE MAID—(M.) Carmine-pink, lower half of each petal white with yellow feather at base; exquisite flower; finest bedder; eight inches.



Double Flowered Tulip



Single Flowered Tulip

***DUCHESS DE PARMA**—(T.) Very fine orange or terra cotta, bordered with yellow band. Very large. Fine for bedding.

KEIZERSKROON—(M.) Carmine-scarlet with broad yellow border. Forces well, seems to become more popular every year, especially for bedding. A bed of these big, showy flowers is a glorious sight. Should be planted by itself and not with other varieties. 12c each; 6 for 65c.

WHITE SWAN—(T.) Tall variety; one of the best white; egg-shaped flower.

***YELLOW PRINCE**—(T.) Golden Prince. Bright yellow, sweet-scented, large and showy. Fine for bedding.

CHOICE DOUBLE EARLY FLOWERING TULIPS

EVERY BULB IS LABELED WITH TRUE NAME

Price, 7c each; any 6 for 40c; \$6.50 per 100, ppd.

The letters M, D, or T indicate the comparative height when grown out of doors, whether Dwarf, Medium or Tall. Those preceded with a (*) are suitable for forcing indoors.

***GLORIA SOLIS**—(M.) Deep crimson bordered with a broad gold band. Most beautiful.

LA GRANDESSE—Dark pink, splendid forcer, large and very double.

LA CANDEUR—(M.) Large and double. Wax-like white, outer petals feathery green. Largely used for cemetery planting, a good companion for Rex Rubrorum.

***LA COQUETTE**—(T.) Yellow with orange. A magnificent flower of great beauty.

REX RUBRORUM—(M.) Large double flowers of deepest scarlet; extra fine bedder. A good companion for La Candeur.

RUBRA MAXIMA—(T.) Dark velvety scarlet; large flowers. Don't miss this one.

SUPERFINE MIXTURES OF EARLY FLOWERING TULIPS

WE OFFER ONLY THE SUPERFINE MIXTURES
THE BEST OBTAINABLE

We have imported a large stock of unnamed early flowering Tulips for bedding, which we price so low as to make a large mass of these showy flowers a matter of trifling expense. They are excellent bulbs, and will bear handsome blooms. Double and Single collections are kept separate. Several hundred bulbs at the quotations below involve less expense than is required to secure a few summer bedding plants, and in the matter of display they are fully as valuable during their season as an equal number of ordinary blooming plants.

SUPERFINE MIXED SINGLE TULIPS—In fifty choicest kinds, splendid flowers. Price, 60c per dozen; \$4.75 per 100, postpaid.

SUPERFINE MIXED DOUBLE TULIPS—In fifty choicest kinds, splendid flowers. Price, 60c per dozen; \$4.75 per 100, postpaid.

PARROT OR DRAGON TULIPS

The most beautiful and interesting class of late flowering Tulips which should be in every garden. The flowers are very large and perfect in shape, the petals are corrugated and toothed, while the color is the most striking combination of crimson and golden-yellow, streaked and edged with green, resembling the plumage of a parrot, whence these Tulips derive their name. A bed of these makes a gorgeous display, paying a hundred fold for any trouble that may be bestowed upon them. Fine large bulbs, mixed colors, price, six for 35c; 65c per dozen; \$5.00 per hundred, postpaid.

BED OF FIFTY LARGE FLOWERING TULIPS FOR \$2.50

We have offered this same bed for several seasons, and it is becoming more popular each year. **ALL SEASONS MIXTURE.**

This collection will contain a splendid mixture of Single and Double Early, Single and Double Late, Parrot and Darwin Tulips, and will include many of the named varieties. The great advantage gained by ordering this collection is that it will produce flowers during a much longer period than any other collection. For a period of from fifteen to twenty-five days the bed in which you plant them will be ablaze, and will present all the colors known among Tulips. We can most heartily recommend this collection to our patrons. It will make a magnificent circular bed three and one-half feet in diameter. Price, 50 bulbs for \$2.50, postpaid.

CROCUS

First Gay Flowers of Spring. Large Flowering Varieties. Beautiful for growing in pots, among the Earliest to bloom on the lawn in the Spring.

DIRECTIONS FOR PLANTING—With a trowel or spade make a slanting opening about two inches deep, put in the bulbs, then with the foot press back the sod. This is an easy way to plant flowers that will be a sheet of bloom almost before the grass is green. They will care for themselves, blooming early amid the grass, and dying down to the bulb in ample time to be entirely out of the way of the lawn mower.

PRICE CROCUS IN COLORS—White, blue, striped, yellow or all colors mixed, all large bulbs, 35c per dozen; \$2.50 per hundred, postpaid.

AMARYLLIS

AMERICAN HYBRIDS—A magnificent strain, and we know of nothing that we can recommend that will give the amateur greater pleasure for his window garden. They embody with vigorous growth free-flowering habit and enormous size of the individual flowers, a really wonderful range of colors varying from deep crimson to bright orange-scarlet, and from light rose to almost pure white, many of them beautiful combinations in stripes and variegations.

Mixed varieties only in very strong bulbs. Price 60c each; 3 for \$1.60, 6 for \$3.00.

WINTER-BLOOMING FREESIAS

WHITE FREESIAS (Purity)—A grand Freesia. The flowers are two inches long and about the same in width, and borne in clusters of six to ten. The body of the flower is pure white, with lower segments spotted lemon-yellow. The perfume is most delicate. Its cultivation is the simplest, requiring only to be potted in October, to be watered sparingly at first, placed in a sunny window and watered more as growth progresses. When out of flower, store in some place and repot at proper season in fresh soil for another year's growth. Price, 6 for 25c; 45c per dozen.

NEW GIANT COLORED FREESIAS

A new class of large flowered, strong growing Freesias of various and distinct colors. The size, richness of color and beauty of these Freesias will be a revelation to all.

GENERAL PERSHING—Lavender-pink, yellow lip somewhat of a bronze cast. 8c each; 6 for 45c; 12 for 80c.

CALIFORNIA—A large flower of a bright golden-yellow, strong grower, long stems. 8c each; 6 for 45c; 12 for 80c.

MIXED COLORS—6 for 40c; 12 for 75c.

FEATHERED OR COCKADE HYACINTHS

A real curiosity. First a frizzled cockade-like spike an inch or two in length appears above the soil, and as it slowly rises on its long stalk it becomes five to six times as long as at first, developing into a long feathery plume, and lasting for weeks in that condition. One of those pretty, odd things that everybody likes. Perfectly hardy in the garden and fine for pots. Price, twelve for 50c.

GRAPE HYACINTHS

Very pretty, producing flowering spikes about six inches high, with little round bells so arranged as to resemble a bunch of grapes. Admirable for permanent beds and edgings and partially shaded situations, where



Crocus

they should be planted in groups of one dozen or more, where they will soon spread and being perfectly hardy will take care of themselves. They are very pretty when grown six in a pot in the house for winter flowering.

BLUE—Price, 40c per dozen; \$3.25 per 100.

WHITE—Price, 50c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100.

FRITILLARIA MELEAGRIS

(GUINEA HEN FLOWER)

Singular dwarf spring-flowering plants, bearing large, pendant, bell-shaped flowers of various colors, yellow, white, black, purple striped and splashed and checkered in the most curious way. They are invaluable for pot culture and exceedingly pretty when grown in large groups in the garden border or wild garden in a dry situation. Mixed varieties, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$8.00 per 100.

IXIAS

The graceful flower spikes of the Ixias remind one of Gladiolus, but the flowers are very distinct, being round and well opened. Their brilliant colors and vividly contrasting markings have made them quite popular. For pot culture, plant six in a five-inch pot, and treat as Hyacinths. For outdoor culture they should be planted in a somewhat sheltered situation and protected with leaves or straw.

MIXED SORTS—Many varieties of rich shades and colors. Price, three for 10c; 35c per dozen.

CHIONODOXA LUCILAE

GLORY OF THE SNOW

These bulbs are very popular, and deservedly so, for their lovely blue and white flowers, produced in long sprays, are seen in the garden among the earliest spring flowers—sometimes even before the snow has disappeared. The bulbs are perfectly hardy and make a fine display when planted in masses outdoors. For window culture they are fully as charming as are Freesias. They bloom very early, commonly by Christmas. Selected bulbs. Price, 50c per dozen.

GIANT SNOWDROPS

The Charming Snowdrop is one of the First Flowers to Herald the Approach of Spring.

Beautiful dwarf white flowers, pushing up through the snow in the spring, a habit from which arose this name. Being dwarf, they are usually planted along walks or the margins of beds.

DOUBLE SNOWDROP—(Galanthus Nivalis fl. pl.) Flowers perfectly double, pure white. Price, 65c per dozen; \$5.00 per 100.

GIANT SINGLE SNOWDROP—(Galanthus Elwesii) The largest and most beautiful, flowers snow-white with emerald-green tube. Price, 45c per dozen; \$3.75 per 100.

SCILLA SIBIRICA

The Siberian Scilla or Squill, has flowers of a lovely ultramarine blue color, borne in graceful spikes. In the house it blooms early, like the Roman Hyacinths, and forms a beautiful contrast with them. In the open ground they are quite hardy, and especially fine planted in small beds or with Snowdrops, and like them, frequently blooming before the snow has gone. Price, 50c per dozen.

SCILLA ALBA

This has exactly the same flower as Scilla Sibirica, excepting that it is pure white. Price, 50c per dozen.

Special Collections of Choice Bulbs

We always have a large demand for these collections, and have ordered an immense supply at prices that enable us to give you a large number of bulbs for the price we ask. Collections like these are growing in popularity, and we here present them in such shape as we believe will give the fullest measure of satisfaction and delight to the purchaser. Price includes payment of mail or express charges by us. All Bulbs in these Collections are wrapped and labeled with name or color.

HYACINTH COLLECTION "L" 12 BULBS FOR \$1.50

In making up this collection we use good, sound bulbs, and of best varieties and colors. This is a fine offer, and all who take advantage of it will be more than repaid with magnificent bloom. We offer it to you as follows, for \$1.50, postpaid.

Two Each—Yellow, Gorgeous Pink, Large Red, Splendid Pure White, Light Blue, Dark Blue.

TULIP COLLECTION "M" 20 BULBS FOR \$1.25

Here we have a fine collection of the best of our Tulips, and offer them as a collection for \$1.25 postpaid. Nothing is surer to bloom nor make a more pleasing sight than a bed of Tulips, and in making up this collection we use our best named varieties, and the unnamed kinds are superfine, blooming evenly and perfectly. Following is the list:

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| 1 Double Yellow—"Crown of Gold." | 1 Single Scarlet—"Cramoisi Brilliant." | 1 "Gesnerian" or Giant Tulip. |
| 1 Double White—"La Candeur." | 1 Single Yellow—"Yellow Prince." | 1 Special "Golden Crown" Tulip. |
| 1 Double Red—"Rubra Maxima." | 1 Gorgeous Flowered—"Darwin." | 9 Superfine Single and Double Tulips Unnamed, but splendid colors and kinds, and will make a fine show. |
| 1 Single White—"White Swan." | 1 "Parrot" Tulip—The best of fancy Tulips; a grand bloom. | |
| 1 Single Pink—"Cottage Maid." | | |

COMBINATION COLLECTION "O" 20 BULBS FOR \$1.50

This collection contains a fine assortment of Tulips, Hyacinths and other bulbs which will make a fine show for a very small sum.

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| 1 Superb White Double Tulip—"La Candeur." | flowers of a lovely ultra-marine blue color, borne in graceful spikes. |
| 1 Rich Purple Double Tulip. | 1 "Scilla Alba." This has exactly the same flower as Scilla Sibirica, excepting that it is pure white. |
| 4 Superfine Mixed Tulips, which will make a gorgeous display. | 1 Fine White Hyacinth. |
| 1 "Giant Gesnerian" Tulip, the tallest of the Tulips; a striking variety. | 1 Striking Red Hyacinth. |
| 1 "Parrot Tulip." This flower produces a very pleasing combination of colors. | 1 Beautiful Blue Hyacinth. |
| 3 "Ixias," Mixed Sorts—Many varieties of rich shades and colors. | 1 Orange-striped Double Tulip—"Crown of Gold." |
| 1 "Scilla Sibirica." The Siberian Scilla, or Squill, has | 3 "Giant Snowdrops," Mixed. The Charming Snowdrop is one of the first flowers to herald the approach of spring. |

COLLECTION "D" 13 BULBS FOR ONLY 75 CENTS

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| 2 Large-Flowering Hyacinths. | 4 Different Crocus. | 3 Grape Hyacinths, Mixed. |
| 2 Beautiful Tulips. | 2 Freesias. | |

COLCHICUM

A Wonder of the Floral Kingdom. Don't Fail to Get a Few of Them.

These Bulbs are Ready Now, Should Be Ordered Early for Best Results.

Rosy tinted blossoms shade to a pearly white.

Simply place the bulb in a dish, bowl, saucer or on the table or window sill and watch its beauty unfold.

Colchicum Requires a Little Sunlight. No Water. No Soil, No Care. No Vase, Surprising and Beautiful.

When the blooming has ceased, the bulb may be potted or planted in the open garden or lawn, where the following spring they will develop a beautiful, deep colored foliage.

Remove from bed about July first, dry the bulb in darkness for a few weeks and use for indoor decoration as at first.

Price, large bulbs, postage paid, 30c each; 6 for \$1.60; 12 for \$3.00.



Colchicum

Great Surplus Bulb Collection

SENT ONLY AFTER NOVEMBER 10th

In importing enormous quantities of bulbs from Holland, France, China, Japan, Bermuda, etc., we find it impossible to estimate what the exact demand will be, and to order just the right quantity of each variety, so that we usually have a surplus of many varieties including the very choicest and most expensive. As they cannot be kept over, we must close them out at the end of the season, and offer them to our patrons in collections, strictly of our own selection, at a big sacrifice rate.

These collections may be ordered at any time, but will not be sent until the rush trade is over, about November 10th.

Surplus Bulb Collection No. 1, for One Dollar, Postpaid

This will consist of a very generous lot of miscellaneous bulbs, and will be sent by mail for \$1.00.

Surplus Bulb Collection No. 2, by Express (not prepaid), for \$2.00

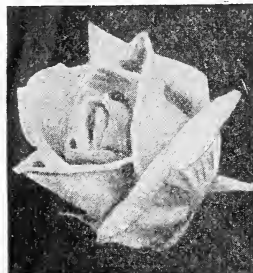
This will contain a larger proportion of the heavier and more expensive bulbs, of the finest varieties, and will be worth far more than the price asked for it. If express shipment is not desirable, send 25 cents extra for postage.

EITHER OF THESE COLLECTIONS WILL AGREEABLY SURPRISE AND PLEASE YOU.

Ever-Blooming Hybrid Tea Roses

The Hybrid Tea Roses are the hardest of the ever-bloomers, standing the winter in the northern latitudes with but little protection, and are perfectly hardy south of the Ohio River without any protection whatever. They bloom constantly throughout the summer. The following collection is selected from the best varieties:

Price, young plants, 15c each; Twelve for \$1.50; except where noted. Two-year-old plants, from 4-inch pots, 40c each; twelve for \$4.00, except where noted.



Golden Ophelia

CHARMER—An ideal bedding type of vigorous, branchy growth, free bloom, and strong resistance to mildew, black spot and other garden ailments. The buds are long and very pretty for cutting, opening out into very full double flowers of pleasing shape and substance. A pleasing shade of pink.

COMMONWEALTH—A Hybrid Tea, monthly bloomer, fragrant, has large, long buds, flower large, open, double and very lasting, solid pink color. Foliage leathery, medium size, rich green, disease resistant, few thorns, vigorous upright grower, splendid for outdoor growing. Hardy without protection excepting in extreme northern states.

CRIMSON QUEEN—Strong, upright grower, flowers large and full. Color a rich bright velvety crimson. A grand garden Rose as it is always in bloom.

CRUSADER—Color rich velvety crimson. Buds and blooms immense and of great substance, very full and double. Foliage heavy and free from disease. Hardy and a profuse bloomer.

DAME EDITH HELEN—Perfect buds developing into wonderful flowers of immense size are produced singly on well-foliaged strong canes. The flowers are composed of very substantial broad petals which curl back prettily forming a glorious long pointed bud and a full double flower which is beautiful in every stage of development. Color a brilliant yet soft Rose. Strongly sweet-scented. 30c each, 2 yr. 65c.

DIXIE—Sport of Radiance, but more double. Bud large; flower large, cupped, very lasting, strong fragrance, salmon-pink.

E. G. HILL—The largest red forcing Rose of true Hybrid Tea character yet produced. The flower is dazzling scarlet shading to deeper pure red as it develops. It is a great bloomer. This rose is named for its producer, Mr. E. G. Hill, of Richmond, Ind., internationally known hybridizer of roses. This is a guarantee of its high character and worth. Price, 25c each; two year old plants, 45c each.

EDEL—Bud very large, flower large double, well built, stately; opens well in all weather; sweet fragrance. Color white with faintest ivory shading toward base, passing to pure white. Foliage very bold and distinct. A very vigorous grower and constant bloomer. A wonderful new bush Rose.

ETOILE DE FRANCE—Flowers very large and borne on good, long, stiff stems; color a lovely shade of clear red crimson velvet; very fragrant and keeps well.

EUGENE E. MARLITT—Rich bright carmine with scarlet tones. It is a strong, upright grower and a constant and profuse bloomer with extra large flowers; full, deep and double, and deliciously tea-scented.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY—The flowers are from large to very large, opening to a high center. The color is a magnificent deep red Rose. Grand for the garden.

F. R. PATZER—The blooms are produced with great freedom, they are carried on stiff stems and are of large size and substance and perfect formation; highly tea-scented. Color, brilliant salmon-pink, of very fine shape, buds sharply pointed.

GOLDEN OPHELIA—The flower is of medium size, from a beautifully formed bud of bright, golden yellow. Has excellent texture; profuse in bloom; makes a marvelous 'bush'.

ANTOINE RIVOIRE—Large, full Camellia-shaped flowers. Color rosy-flesh, on a yellow ground, shaded with border of carmine.

BESSIE BROWN—The flowers are very large and highly built and double; color is a creamy-white with a beautiful shade of pale, tender flesh, resembling gloss silk.

BRIARCLIFF—Flower $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches across, high center, deep rose-pink center, passing to lighter on outer petals, with a touch of citron-green at base, borne singly on long stem. Price 20c each; 2-year-old, 45c each.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ—As a bedding Rose this is one of the finest. The color is brightest scarlet, shading to deep, rich velvety crimson. It is very fragrant. A queen among scarlet bedders.

HELEN GOULD—The flowers are full and perfectly double, the buds beautifully made and pointed. The color is warm rosy-crimson.

JOHN C. MENSING—A most promising rose from Holland. Bright pink, shaded golden; large petals, averaging 30 to the bloom. Extreme brilliance. One year, 20c; two year 45c.

JONKHEER J. L. MOCK—Vigorous in growth and hardy, with long, smooth canes and great freedom of bloom. Flowers are round and full, bright, pink faced carmine. Splendid bedder.

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA—It is a continuous bloomer, producing successive crops of buds, and formed with large petals of best substance; shows no center when fully open; color pure creamy white.

KILLARNEY—The color is an exquisite shade of deep shell-pink, lightened with silvery-pink. The base of the petals is a soft silvery white, relieved with enough yellow to make it more attractive.

LADY MARGARET STEWART—A Rose of unique color, the flowers in the young stage are a deep sunflower yellow heavily veined, splashed with orange-scarlet, reverse of the petals deeply suffused with carmine as the flowers develop these colors intermingle forming a beautiful cadmium orange effect. The bud is long and pointed, opening to a full double flower of pleasing decorative form of delightfully sweet scent.

Price 30c each; 2 yr. old, 65c each.

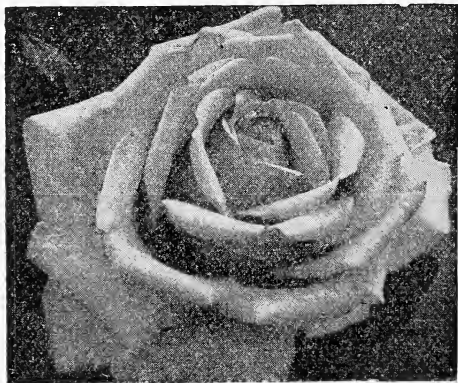
LA CHAMPAGNE—Strong, robust habit, with large, long buds of beautiful shape, which develop into good full blooms; color, bright chamois, shading to yellow with apricot center and peach-blossom reflex and yellow base. One-year, 20c; two-year 40c.

LADY PLYMOUTH—The color is a pearly, delicate but deep ivory-cream, faintly flushed, giving it a most piquant finish that is difficult to describe.

LADY URSULA—Color a most beautiful shade of flesh-pink of great substance and good form; one of the best bedding roses.

MONSIEUR JULIEN POTIN—This is M. Pernet's latest achievement which will probably become better known as 'The Golden Pernet.' It is unquestionably the most gorgeous and brilliant yellow Rose yet introduced, a rich golden yellow that grows richer and deeper as the flowers mature. The buds are long and shapely, and develop into large, full flowers of beautiful form, delightfully sweet-scented. Habit of growth upright with ample attractive, glossy, bronzy-green foliage, very free flowering. One year plants, 30c each; 2 year old 60c.

MADAME JENNY GILLEMOT—Buds long and pointed, deep saffron-yellow, opening canary with dark golden shadings; blooms large, petals immense; opens very freely; a fine upright grower of branching habit; exquisitely beautiful, very large in size, bud very long and pointed.



Kaiserin Augusta Victoria

Ever-blooming Hybrid Tea Roses—Concluded

Price, plants from 2½ inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen. Two-year-old plants from 4-inch pots, 40c; \$4.00 per dozen, Except Where Noted.

MADAME BUTTERFLY—Fancy colored Rose. The buds are a lovely shade of Indian red, yellow at the base; they are unique for corsages and for low table decorations. All the color tones are strong, making it a harmony of bright pink, apricot and gold. Undoubtedly will rank near the top in popularity.

MADAME CAROLINE TESTOUT—This charming Rose is in great demand. Clear, bright, satiny-pink; flowers very large and extremely showy; quite distinct.

MRS. AARON WARD—One of the most delightful Roses of recent years in a color that catches the eye at once. Coppery-orange in the open bud, golden-orange when partly developed, pinkish-fawn of lovely shade when fully open, when it looks like a full fluffy silk rosette.

MRS. H. R. DARLINGTON—Creamy-yellow; both free and fragrant.

OPHELIA—Salmon-flesh, shaded with rose; a fine decorative variety. Growth vigorous. Certainly a glorious Rose.

PRESIDENT TAFT—It is without question the most remarkable of all pink Roses. It has a shining, intense deep pink color possessed by no other Rose. It is a fine grower, free bloomer, good size and form, fragrant.

RADIANCE—Color a brilliant rosy-carmine, displaying beautiful opaline-pink tints in the open flower. The form is fine; flower large and full with cupped petals. A fine variety, especially on account of its value as a summer cut flower variety. Very free in growth and production of bloom, has good habit; lasting qualities of the flower are wonderful.

RAPTURE—Intensely brilliant in its vivid coloring of bright apricot, coral, rose and gold. 20c each; two-year-old, 45c.

SOUV. DE CLAUDIUS PERNET—A most vigorous grower of erect branching habit, beautiful, brilliant green foliage, long pointed, buds of exquisite shape, carried on long, stiff stems. Very large, full flowers with elongated deep petals, a beautifully formed bloom. Color most striking sunflower-yellow, deeper in the center, without any color blending, and which is retained without fading even in the warmest weather. Price, young plants, 25c each; plants from 4-inch pots, 50c each.

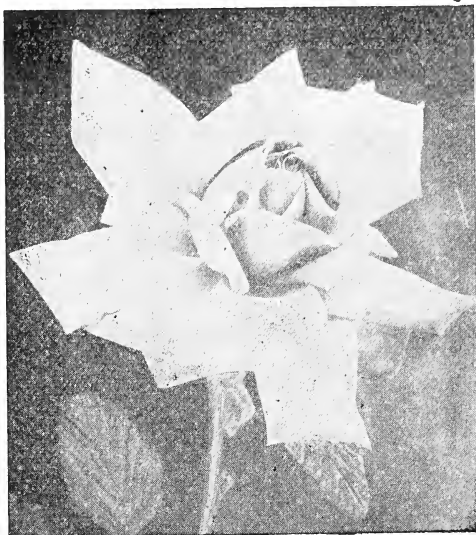
ROSELANDIA—Sport of Golden Ophelia. Flower larger than parent and deeper in color with high-pointed center, every bloom perfect, borne singly; fragrant.

RHEA REID—Flowers large and double; rich dark velvety red; a good red garden Rose.

RED RADIANCE—Similar to Radiance in form and growth except color, which is a fiery-scarlet. Excellent garden Rose as well as a good forcer. Form is fine, flower large and full cupped petals.

REV. F. PAGE ROBERTS—A most beautifully shaped long bud and a full double flower of a rich orange-gold, shading to saffron yellow, growth vigorous, and very free flowering. The most beautiful Rose of its color yet introduced. Young plants, 20c each. Plants from 4-inch pots, 45c each.

SUNBURST—Has long-pointed buds. The color is orange-copper or golden-orange and golden-yellow; edge of petals lighter; all intense shades extremely brilliant in effect. Belongs in the class of Big Roses.



Madam Butterfly

TEMPLAR—Bud medium size; flower medium size, very lasting. Vigorous, upright, abundant and continuous bloomer. Clear bright red, of exceeding double form. Strongly perfumed. 20c each; 2-year, 45c.

WHITE RADIANCE—Surely best of all recently introduced whites, perhaps ever, in hybrid teas. The flowers are of noble size, deep, close-centered, with many petals; ivory at base but otherwise purest white, the broad roll of the edges frost like. One of the surest and most continuous bloomers.

WELLESLEY—A beautiful Pink Rose—The color is a beautiful shade of pink, the outside of the petals being bright and clear, with a silvery reverse. It is a very vigorous, healthy grower, carrying the flowers on long, stiff stems.

WM. R. SMITH—(The Maiden Blush Rose)—Very vigorous in growth, with flowers of heavy texture; color, creamy-white with shadings of pink. Succeeds admirably in the open ground, bringing fine blooms on long, stiff stems.

WHITE KILLARNEY—It is pure white in color, long in bud, of fine form; in fact it is the one Rose par excellence. It is also a great garden Rose.

Four Famous Cochet Roses

THE MOST POPULAR ROSES GROWN

These are among the very finest hardy ever-blooming Roses in cultivation. Price, small plants, 15c each; per dozen, \$1.50; two-year-old plants, 40c each; per dozen, \$4.00.

PINK MAMAN COCHET—"The Queen of all Garden Roses."—The buds are beautiful, large, full and firm, and elegantly pointed; as they expand they show great depth and richness, sometimes measuring two and one-half inches from base to tip. Flowers superb when open, extra large, perfectly double and of splendid substance. Color is rich, clear pink, changing to silvery-rose.

RED MAMAN COCHET (Mrs. B. R. Cant)—A fine garden variety of even shade of deep rose or red, round and full. A very free grower, in fact it is one of the strongest growing Roses we have.

WHITE COCHET—A grand Rose. Identical with its parent, Maman Cochet, the queen of all pink garden Roses, except in color of flower, which is snow-white sometimes faintly tinged with the faintest suggestions of pale blush. The flowers are large and very double, with petals of unusually heavy texture.

YELLOW MAMAN COCHET (Mme D. Matrat)—The unusual hardness of this Rose—a pure Tea—makes it especially adapted for bedding. A fitting companion to those other grand summer Roses—the White and Pink Cochets. Flowers large, perfectly double and shapely, of a rich sulphur-yellow.



Sunburst

OUR GARDEN COLLECTION OF Choice Ever-blooming Tea Roses

FOR OUTDOOR BEDDING OR INDOOR POT CULTURE

Price, young plants, 15c each; 12 for \$1.50; Two-year-old plants, from four inch pots, 40c each; 12 for \$4.00.

The Roses in this collection are highly valued because of their fine colors and exquisite tea fragrance. They will bloom freely from June until November. Some of them are particularly famous for the large size, beauty and brilliant colors of the bloom. If planted in the spring so that they may become thoroughly established during the summer, they will, with few exceptions, prove hardy here, with protection during the winter. They are the product of years of experience and our improved methods of culture, which insure plants of the greatest possible vitality and abundance of bloom.

ALEXANDER HILL GRAY—Color is deep lemon-yellow which intensifies as the blooms develop; flowers large, of great substance and perfect formation; it has a high-pointed center from which the petals gracefully reflex. We recommend it highly.

BRIDESMAID—The most popular pink Tea Rose. Thousands of this variety are grown every year for cut flowers, and it is also very desirable for summer bedding out of doors. It is a delightful shade of bright pink, very free flowering and easily grown.

BLUMENSCHMIDT—Pure citron-yellow, outer petals edged tender rose, a sport from Franziska Kruger, which it resembles in form, and which has a more vigorous growth. Winner of three first premiums.

CLOTHILDE SOUPERT—Color a French white, deepening to a rosy-blush in the center, exceeding in distinctness of shadings the well known Malmaison. Its greatest value lies in its compact, vigorous habit and wonderful profusion of bloom. Form and substance of the flowers are so perfect that the hottest weather does not cause a deterioration of either, so that even in mid-summer a bouquet of splendid buds and open flowers can be obtained from this variety. Hardy with protection.

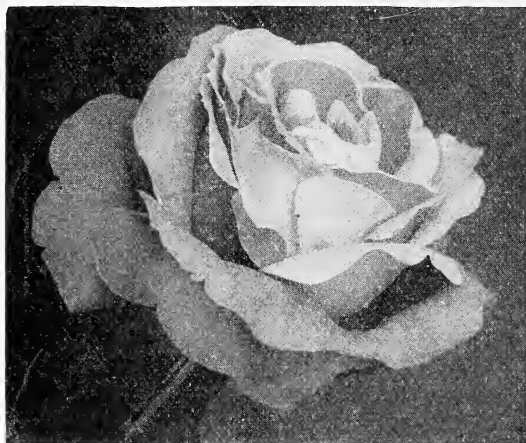
ETOILE DE LYON—This magnificent Tea Rose, south of the Ohio river, has proved to be perfectly hardy. Blooms in the greatest profusion and each bud is a gem. Flowers are very large, double, full and deliciously fragrant. The color is a beautiful chrome-yellow, deepening at center to pure golden-yellow.

Mlle. FRANZISKA KRUGER—The striking color of this handsome Rose places it at once in the front as a bud producer in the open air. In its shading of deep coppery-yellow it stands unique and distinct from all others. The flower, when open, is of good size and very symmetrical. One of the finest Roses to plant in masses and clumps.

HELEN GOOD, THE BEAUTY COCHET—This is a true Cochet Rose, and after two years' trial in the garden we pronounce it as good as, if not better than, any Rose for the garden ever sent out. The color is white suffused with pink, each petal edged deeper.

LADY HILLINGDON—Handsome flowers of clear apricot yellow; hardy; of much vigor, and with an autumn blooming habit.

MARIE GUILLOT—This beautiful Tea Rose continues in popular favor, and still maintains its position as one of the best white Roses of its class; flowers of an un-



Mlle. Franziska Kruger

usual style, entirely double to the center; very sweet scented.

SOUVENIR DE PIERRE NOTTING—The bloom is very large, perfectly full, elegant form; has a beautiful long bud; the colors are very bright, distinct and clear and have no unpleasant tones—orange-yellow, bordered in carmine-rose.

THE BRIDE—The buds are very large and of exquisite form; the petals are of fine texture and substance, and the full flower is very double measuring from three and one-half to four inches in diameter. The color is a delicate creamy-white. The blooms can be cut with long stems and will last in a fresh state being cut longer than any known variety.

Hardy June Roses

HYBRID PERPETUALS

Price, plants from 2½-inch pots, 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen. Two-year-old plants from 4-inch pots, 40c each, \$4.00 per dozen, except where noted.

Though called Perpetual, it must be understood that they are not such early and constant bloomers as the ever-blooming Rose. The Hybrid Perpetuals should not be ordered for house culture as they are not suitable for that purpose. These Roses are especially suited to plant in all the Northern states and territories, also in the colder parts of Virginia, West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, Arkansas, Missouri, etc.

AMERICAN BEAUTY—Flowers very large, of beautiful form and very double; color a deep, rich rose. The fragrance is delightful, resembling La France. A true ever-bloomer, each shoot producing a bud. This popular Rose is too well known to need further description. Price, small plants, 20c each; strong plants, from 4-inch pots, 45c each.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT—A rich velvety crimson.

MAGNA CHARTA—A bright, clear pink, flushed with crimson; very sweet, flowers extra large, with fine form and very double.

PAUL NEYRON—Deep shining rose, very large.

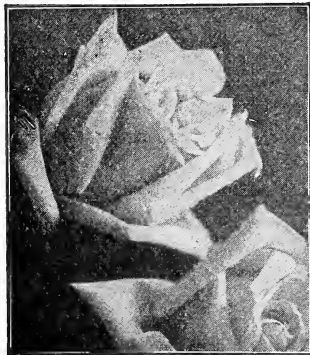
TENDER CLIMBING ROSES

These are not hardy in the North. In the South or on the Pacific Coast, where they stand the winters, nothing can compare with them for beauty of bud and foliage. Are never to be forgotten when seen in full bloom, loaded with thousands of magnificent flowers.

Price, Young Plants, 15c each; 12 for \$1.50; Large two-year-old plants from 4 inch pots, 40c each; 12 for \$4.00.

MARECHAL NIEL, THE MOST POPULAR OF ALL—This is one of the Roses that starts rather slowly, and for that reason the best success will be had with the larger plants. The superb Rose is especially recommended for Southern states, requiring little outdoor protection. Rich golden-yellow.

MRS. ROBERT PEARY, OR CLIMBING KAISERIN—The flowers are extra large, full, deep and double; are of excellent substance and produced on long, stiff stems, like a forcing Rose; buds are long and pointed. Pure ivory-white. Fragrance is delicious.



Lady Hillingdon

Hardy Climbing Roses

Price, plants from 2½ inch pots, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen; Two-year-old plants from four-inch pots, 40c, \$4.00 per dozen.

These beautiful new Hardy Climbing Roses are unexcelled. There is nothing like them, after they become established, in their strong luxuriant growth, freedom of bloom and bright colors.

ALIDA LOVETT—Both buds and flowers are large; are of ideal form, are held on stiff stems a foot and a half to two feet long and the color is a lively bright shell-pink with shadings of rich sulphur at the base of the petals—a combination that is both novel and beautiful. Pleasantly perfumed.

CLIMBING AMERICAN BEAUTY—Same color, size and fragrance as American Beauty, with the addition of the climbing habit. Good foliage and better blooming qualities. Blooms three to four inches across; has proved perfectly hardy and stands heat and drought well.

DOROTHY PERKINS—Extremely hardy. Flowers borne in clusters of from six to ten, very double, with prettily, crinkled petals. Pretty pointed buds, beautiful clear shell-pink in color, lasting a long time without fading; sweet-scented.

DR. W. VAN FLEET—Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. Center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. Color is a remarkable delicate shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to rosy-flesh in the center. Flowers full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed.

EXCELSA—A distinct variety in form, color and habit. The color is an intense crimson-maroon, with tips of the petals tinged scarlet. Flowers are large and double, produced thirty to forty on a stem, and almost every eye on a shoot produces a cluster of bright blossoms.

EUGENE JACQUET—Handsome truss of fragrant, cherry-red flowers, borne evenly and uniformly in the greatest profusion. It holds the flower unusually long—the color improves with age.

JACOTTE—Bud large, orange and yellow; flower large, open, cupped, very lasting; deep coppery-yellow, tinted red; borne several together on long strong stems; fragrant.

MARY WALLACE—This is Dr. Van Fleet's masterpiece. Hardy on a line with Washington, D. C. Blooms two or three times during the summer months. A pillar rose supporting itself in a bushy growth 6 to 8 feet high. Bright clear rose-pink with salmon at base of petals.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER—Vivid scarlet, shaded crimson. Makes a brilliant display for a long period of time in the garden. A wonderful new climbing Rose. Received the gold medal and cup for the best new climber at the National Rose Society's exhibit.



Climbing American Beauty

ROSARIE (Pink Tausendschoen)—Similar to its parent Thousand Beauties, except color, which is a solid deep rose with much larger clusters and many blooms.

TAUSENDSCHOEN—A rapid growing, almost thornless, climber of exceptional value and attractiveness. Its innumerable flower clusters show every shade of pink, rose and crimson with white and yellow variegation.

THE BEACON—A distinct and effective novelty, bright fiery red with white eye in the way of American Pillar, single and semi-double, produced in large clusters, handsome foliage.

TWO NEW HIGH CLASS HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

CHAPLIN'S PINK CLIMBER—This striking novelty originated in the same nursery in which Paul's Scarlet Climber was raised. It is a cross between Paul's Scarlet and American Pillar, of strong growth, perfectly hardy, producing its large flowers, similar in size and form to Paul's Scarlet, profusely in strong trusses of from 8 to 12 flowers each, but in color a rich lively pink.

MME. GREGOIRE STAECHELIN—Has aristocratic parents, and has inherited the best traits of both. The long pointed buds are crimson at first, then the firm

outer petals show splashes of carmine as the flower opens, with an iridescent pearl-pink inside and it is richly perfumed. It grows 12 feet or more and has large, disease resistant foliage. The main stem of the plant shoots upright and the long bloom spurs stand out 18 inches at right angles, with exquisite, full, fragrant blooms.

Price 25c each, 2 yr. old, 50c each.

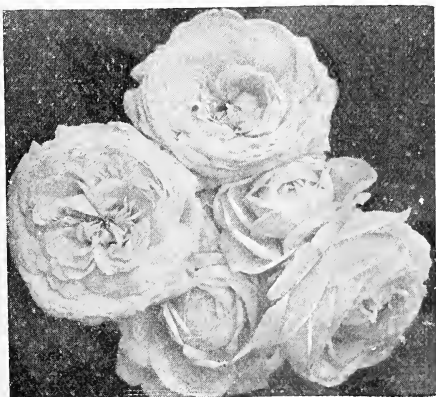
We will send one each of these two grand new Climbing Roses in one year old plants for 45c or same in 2 yr. old plants for 90c.

TWELVE SPECIAL ROSE FAVORITES

Jonkheer J. L. Mock, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Killarney, Ophelia, Paul's Scarlet Climber, Red Radiance, Pink Radiance, Eugene E. Marlett, Sunburst, White Cochet, Wm. R. Smith, Roselandia.

Price, Set of 12 from 2½ inch pots for \$1.50; Two-Year-Old Plants, 4 inch pots, Set of 12 for \$4.00.

We have selected from among our entire list twelve Roses which we can recommend as the most reliable for general planting. They are all strong, vigorous growers, bloom abundantly and all are among the hardiest in this ever-blooming class. If you can only have a few Roses, don't fail to get this collection. It will give you unbounded satisfaction. We have made the price very moderate, placing them within reach of all.



Dorothy Perkins

OUR "GIANT" COLLECTION OF LARGE TWO-YEAR-OLD EVER-BLOOMING ROSES FOR IMMEDIATE EFFECT

These large Roses have become so popular among our customers that we devote a great deal of room to them, growing them in constantly increasing numbers. These bushes are two years old, strong and healthy. They make, of course, more of an appearance from the first than does the smaller stock, having practically a year the advantage in all respects—as advantage for which we find many persons willing to incur the additional expense.

The selection must be left to us, and we will send only strictly high-grade Roses. All will be different and all correctly labeled.

GIANT COLLECTION NO. 1—Five two-year-old Everblooming Tea Roses, all different colors. \$1.50.

GIANT COLLECTION NO. 2—Five two-year-old Hardy Everblooming Roses, all different colors, \$1.50.

DOUBLE FLOWERING GERANIUMS

Price, 12c each; \$1.25 per dozen. (Plants from 2½-inch pots).

ALPHONSE RICARD—An excellent semi-double, a strong grower, dwarf and branching. Produces immense trusses of bloom; color bright orange-red.

BEAUTY POITEVINE—Semi-double. One of the very finest of the Bruant race. The color is a brilliant salmon, shading to apricot in the center; trusses colossal, florets two and one-fourth inches in diameter.

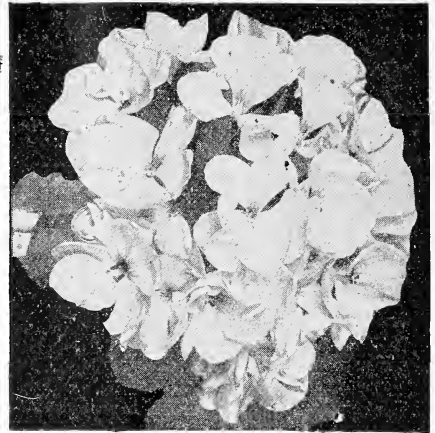
RADIO RED—A strong, vigorous grower, truss of the largest size and borne well above the foliage on very strong stalks; color is of the richest scarlet, one of the most profuse-blooming bedders; the foliage very broad and strong and stands the sun better than almost any other Geranium.

S. A. NUTT—This is the darkest and richest double Geranium grown. It is very bright, dark, deep, rich velvety maroon; an excellent bedder and a perfect pot plant.

MRS. RICHARD GLOEDE—A most lovely shade of rose-pink, beautiful, large, semi-double, well-formed flowers and trusses of enormous size; habit dwarf and vigorous; an excellent bedder and a splendid pot variety. 25c each; 12 for \$2.50.

MRS. BUCKNER—A pure double white Geranium, as free-flowering as the single varieties; used for planting in beds for furnishing a supply of beautiful white flowers for vases, etc.

FIAT—NEW—Flowers very large, immense trusses on long, rigid



Fiat Geranium



Primula Obconica Gigantea

stems; semi-double. Plant remarkably free bloomer, being a mass of flowers until the end of the season; color rich salmon, shaded orange, edge of petals a brighter shade than the rest of the flower; a beautiful and distinct variety. 25c each; 12 for \$2.50.

IRVINGTON BEAUTY—One of the most remarkable Geraniums of a century. The color a rosy-salmon pink of a branching habit. Each branch producing a mammoth truss of perfect flowers. The best grower and bloomer we have ever seen and we are proud to introduce it. 25c each; 12 for \$2.50.

EVER-BLOOMING PELARGONIUMS

BETTER KNOWN AS LADY WASHINGTON GERANIUM

Price, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; 10 for \$1.90. (Plants from 2½ inch pots.)

EASTER GREETING—This is the earliest of all Pelargoniums. It blooms from March until fall. The florets are of a fiery amar-anth-red with each petal marked with regular shaped spots of carbon brown or black in the center, the spots being bordered with scarlet penciled crimson. The first and only kind to bloom as well bedded out as in pots and to do so all summer.

GARDENER'S JOY—The ground color is apple-blossom pink, the two upper petals have blotches of carbon brown, the florets are three and one-half inches in diameter and are produced in large clusters which are carried well above the beautiful foliage. It is of a half dwarf nature and very sturdy.

GLORY—Florets and clusters are very large; ground color blue. The upper petals contain two large purple magenta-red spots, distinctly veined. An exceedingly beautiful and entirely new color in Pelargoniums.

LUCY BECKER—This grand novelty is a sport of Easter Greeting, and is like it in everything but color, which is a rosy-pink. It is if anything even more free in bloom.

PANSY GERANIUM MRS. LAYAL

MRS. LAYAL (The genuine "Pansy Geranium.")—Rounded, satiny, exquisitely marked and colored, this variety is truly Pansy-flowered. Its colors range from a large crimsoned chocolate center through pink to white at the edges. Price, 25c; \$2.50 per dozen.

PRIMULA OBCONICA GIGANTEA

This is a charming plant for winter; in fact, we know of none that is better adapted to home culture than this one. It is not susceptible to changes of temperature that most plants are subject to. It bears its elegant panicles and sprays of bloom of pink and red in the greatest profusion. It is certainly elegant. We offer fine plants in Pink and Red, from 4 inch pots, 50c each; 2 for 90c; 12 for \$5.00.

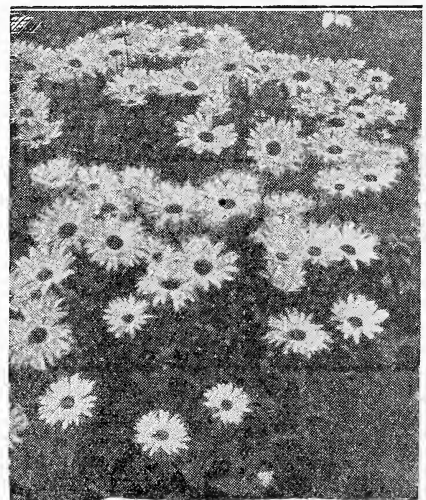
NEW MAY FLOWERING DAISY

GLORY OF WAYSIDE

The earliest to flower, coming into bloom in May with pure glistening white flowers, which are produced in great profusion on symmetrical compact plants. Should be planted in Fall for bloom by May 30th. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Fine for cut flowers and will be a delight in any garden. Nice young plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

WATCH—EM—GROW PLANT FOOD

All plants, from a tiny blade of grass to a large tree will be benefitted by drinking of this food. Price, 8 oz. can post-paid for 50c—will make 25 gallons.



Glory of Wayside Daisy

FLOWERING BEGONIAS

THIS BEAUTIFUL CLASS OF PLANTS IS DESERVEDLY POPULAR. THEY ARE SUITABLE FOR POT CULTURE IN THE WINDOW FOR WINTER BLOOMING.

Price, 20c each, six for \$1.00, except where noted.

CORALLINE LUCERNE

(The Wonderful Flowering Begonia)—This Begonia has simply taken everybody who has seen it by storm. It certainly is a wonder. The blooms last from a month to six weeks, and are borne in immense clusters almost hiding the plant. The color is bright coral red, changing to a delicate pink. It is past the power of speech to describe it. A wonder. Price, 25c each; 3 for 65c.

THURSTONI

The under side of the leaves is a rich purplish-red, the veinings very prominent, while the face or upper side is a bronzy-green, shaded with crimson and olive, with a peculiar glossy-metallic lustre over all. Flowers rosy-white, in large clusters well above the foliage. Plant has a fine habit.

MRS. A. C. TOWNSEND

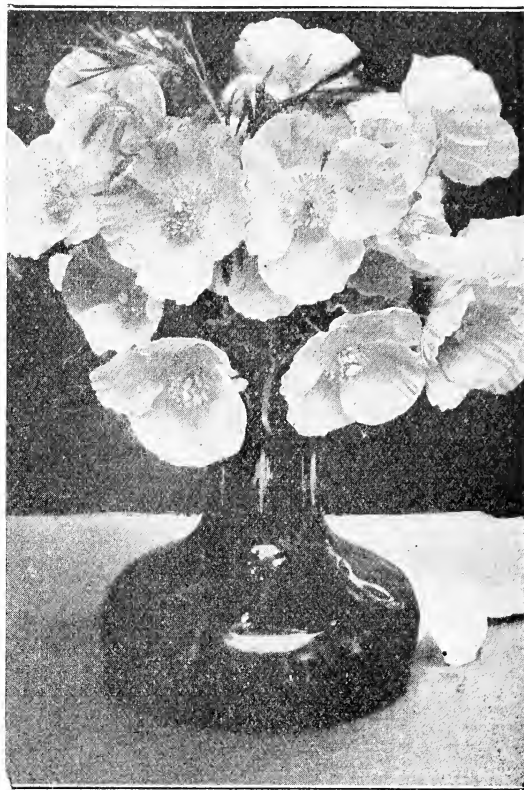
Belongs to the Ricinifolia family; leaves are a charming lustrous metallic-green color; an unusually profuse bloomer; flower of a delicate light pink, borne on long foot stalks.

PINK RUBRA

We doubt if there is a pink flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape but is a lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a pure pink flowering Begonia.

UNNAMED REX BEGONIAS

Nature has bestowed on Rex Begonias many of her choicest gifts, uniting the radiance and brilliancy of precious jewels, the shining luster of metals, with the beautiful colors and textures of the most costly fabrics. The leaves alone possess all these charms, while the dainty flowers add lightness and grace. Give them a soil composed of rich loam, woods earth and sharp sand. They require a warm, moist atmosphere and a shady situation. Do not allow the sun to strike the leaves while wet, and do not over-water. Nothing can surpass them for the window or conservatory culture; they may be planted in a shady situation under trees or alongside of the house. Rex varieties make immense leaves. We can furnish REX BEGONIAS in choice sorts at 25c each, three for 65c; 12 for \$2.50.



Begonia Haageana

HAAGEANA

A NEW BEGONIA—OFFERED FOR THE FIRST TIME

Large trusses of creamy-white flowers, suffused with pink, the foliage bold and attractive, of a bronzy-green above and reddish on the under side. Best of its type. Price, plants from 4 inch pots, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

ALBA PERFECTA GRANDIFLORA

We doubt if there is a white-flowered variety that equals it. The foliage resembles Rubra in shape, but it is lighter green, while the flower panicles are much handsomer. It is a pure white flowering Begonia of much merit. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

BEEFSTEAK BEGONIA

FEASTII—A low, spreading Begonia, with perfectly circular leaves, red beneath, and dark, glossy green above, and of heavy texture. The finest pot Begonia we have for house culture. 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

RED CHATELLAINE

It is a sport from Gloire de Chateillaine and is exactly like it in foliage and habit, but color of flower is a bright scarlet. Fine for pot culture. Price plants from 3 inch pots, 30c each.

CHATELLAINE SUPREME

This Begonia is undoubtedly the freest blooming variety known. Is of easy culture, low bushy habit and literally covered the entire year with a wealth of bright pink flowers with yellow stamens. It well merits the name of Ever-Blooming Begonia. Fine plants, from 3-inch pots, 30c each.

SPECIAL OFFER—One each of the above two extra ordinary Begonias for 50c; 12 for \$2.50.

Popular Collection of Miniature Cacti

PRICE—50c each; six for \$2.75.

ECHINOCEREUS RIECHENBACHII—Rosy pink.
ECHINOCEREUS RIGIDISSIMUS—Light orange.
ESCABARIA DASYCANTHA—Silver Pink.
ARIOCARPUS FISSURATUS—Light pink.
ECHINOCACTUS HORIZONTHALONIUS—Rosy Pink.
ESCOBARIA TUBERCULOSA—Pink.

All bloom in the Spring, excepting Ariocarpus blooms in the Fall.

CULTURE OF CACTUS—The plants should always be kept more or less dry. However, it is well that the plants be given a light sprinkle once a week; they are able to go for a long period without any water at all and remain alive. The Cacti may be planted either individually in pots or collectively in bowls. When the plants are arranged in bowls without drains, the top level of the soil should be above the level of the bowl so that most of the water will run off. Enough will penetrate to moisten the soil. There should never be enough water at any time for the water to stand in the bottom of the bowls. This sours the soil.

CACTUS

STAR OF BETHLEHEM—Blooms in the fall. A most beautiful flower and as easily grown as a geranium in any window—the flower is a perfect star about 2½ inches in diameter, with a light yellow base thickly spotted with dark brown dots. A plant in flower is one of the most fascinating floral objects that can be found. Price 35c each; 3 for \$1.00.

PACHYSANDRA

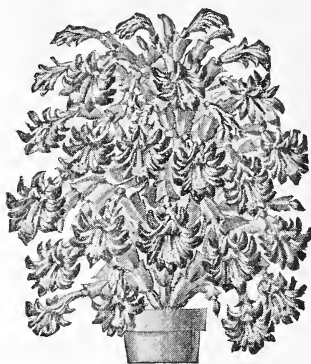
JAPANESE SPURGE—This is a new evergreen trailing plant 6 to 18 inches high and forms broad mats of bright, shiny, green foliage. A good ground cover which will grow in all shady locations and the only plant that will thrive under pine trees. Price plants from 2½ inch pots, 30c each; 12 for \$3.00 postpaid. If by express \$18.00 per 100.

CHRISTMAS CACTUS

“NEVER FAILS TO FLOWER”

Purplish Scarlet Blooms

An early flowering variety, with long drooping flowers, borne in great profusion. Stems branching and hanging in bunches. It grows and blooms with the greatest ease, requires absolutely no care, living for months without water, increasing in value yearly. 30c each; 3 for 75c.



Christmas Cactus

HARDY CACTUS

Opuntia Rafinesquii—This variety will stand 20 degrees below zero. Can be grown indoors or outdoors. Fine for rockeries, border for evergreens, banks, perennial beds, etc. It is evergreen, producing from June till September, large semi-double red and yellow flowers 4 inches across. An ornamental interesting plant for outdoor culture, easily grown. We have a limited supply of these. ORDER EARLY. 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid.

CAPE JASMINE

GARDENIA FLORIDA—A lovely pot shrub producing an abundance of large, double white, wax-like blossoms of great beauty and renowned fragrance. Nothing else like it, and for delicate beauty and fragrance it is unrivaled. Price fine plants, plants from 12 to 15 inches, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

EXTRA SELECTIONS FREE

For every dollar you send for plants, seeds or bulbs to go by mail select 10 cents extra. For example if you send us \$3.00 you get 30c worth of plants free and so on.

Hardy Phlox For Planting This Fall

Among hardy perennial plants no class is of more importance than the Phloxes, succeeding in almost any position and flowering from early in summer until late in the fall. They also improve from year to year, require little care and contain a range of color not in any other hardy plant.

Price, 20c each; any 3 for 50c; \$2.00 per dozen.

BEACON (Tall)—Brilliant cherry-red.

B. COMTE—Tall growing variety producing large heads of rich satiny amaranth flowers. A very brilliant Phlox. Looks well planted close to a yellow-flowered plant.

ENCHANTRESS (Medium)—A vigorous growing pretty salmon pink.

FIREBRAND (Medium)—Bright vermilion-scarlet, with deeper center, large, strong trusses.

LA VOGUE—A very beautiful rose color with large eye of deeper rose color; very attractive.

MISS LINGARD—Pearly-white flower, with a very faint yellow eye; very remarkable bloomer, producing 2 or 3 crops of flowers during the season. Indispensable as a cut flower.

MRS. CHARLES DORR—A new variety; extra tall growing; with extra long, compact, pyramidal spikes of moderate sized florets. Its color is unique and very attractive, a solid blue-mauve.

MRS. ETHEL PRITCHARD—A beautiful self shade of rose-mauve. One of the extra fine new sorts, and would be a rare solid true lavender, were it not for a certain luminous warmth which gives it a livelier expression.

MRS. WM. JENKINS—An early and free bloomer, one of the best tall varieties. Flowers large, pure white.

R. P. STRUTHERS—In our estimation, the very best Phlox grown today—it has no faults. Color clear cherry-red, suffused with salmon shades; deep red eye, fine large truss. The color is so clear and clean that each individual floret stands out as distinct as a cameo.

RHEINLANDER—A new variety of great beauty; a rare shade of salmon-pink, intensified by a distinct claret-red eye. Flowers and truss of unusual size.

SPECIAL FRENCH—A recently new sort with beautiful, even trusses, the florets very large. Color tender rose to bluish pink, given distinction by the large eye of carmine rose.



Mrs. Ethel Pritchard

FERNS

MOST BEAUTIFUL OF DECORATIVE PLANTS FOR THE HOUSE AND CONSERVATORY

No plants are easier to grow or more ornamental for house or conservatory culture than these grand new Ferns. They require very little care or attention, and produce a finer effect than any other plants you can get for many times their cost. The varieties listed herewith include the newest and most beautiful sorts to date. The ordinary, temperature of the living room suits them nicely, and their new growths will soon surprise you with their graceful beauty.

COLORADO—A new fancy fern of general form and character of *Whitmanii*, but upright and sturdy as the Boston. Fronds are wide, tapering in to tip. Leaflets alternating on stems. Main leaflets are smaller replicas of whole frond, projecting at right angles to stem. Center of each frond dark green; the outer two-thirds light green. You need not fear in the Colorado, the stem weakness and delicacy which has discarded many introductions in the plummy large ferns.

Price 25c each; 6 for \$1.25; Large plants, 60c each; 6 for \$3.25.

ANY OF THE FOLLOWING FERNS IN NICE YOUNG PLANTS, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; strong four-inch pot plants, 50c each; 6 for \$2.50.



Sparrow Fern

THE POPULAR BOSTON SWORD FERN—(*Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis*)—In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as this graceful *Nephrolepis*, which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of four feet. These fronds arch and droop over very gracefully. It is frequently called the Fountain Fern.

VERONA—A handsome new variety of the *Elegantissima* type, somewhat resembling the *N. Whitmanii*, but with finer ostrich plume foliage and with a stiffer mid-rib which makes the fronds stand up better than most varieties of the lace ferns.

THE "ROOSEVELT FERN" (*Nephrolepis Roosevelt*)—In general characteristics it resembles the Boston Fern, but with two points of great excellence over that variety. First it produces many more fronds, making it a bushier and handsomer plant; then the pinnae are undulated, giving it a pronounced wavy effect seen in no other Fern. It is highly recommended.

OSTRICH PLUME FERN (*Whitmanii*)—Gracefully divided pinnae, giving the whole plant an airy lace-like appearance; makes beautiful symmetrical plants even in small sizes and large specimen plants are beautiful beyond description.

SPARROWII—We take pleasure in offering to our customers this valuable variety. It has dark green foliage which, with its beautiful crested fronds, makes it a most unique, distinct and desirable Fern. One of the most distinguishable features of this Fern is its robustness, which makes it a very rapid and easy grower, a Fern the amateur can grow with success. We recommend this variety most highly.

NEW FERN INNISFALLEN—This handsome new variety originated with us. It is of the *Elegantissima* type, a strong and rapid grower, handsome green foliage, and has a stiff mid-rib which makes the fronds stand up better than most varieties of ferns. It has a distinctness of its own and is most desirable in all respects.

WE HAVE SOME EXTRA FINE LARGE PLANTS OF ALL
THE ABOVE NAMED FERNS. PRICE—\$1.15 EACH; TWO FOR \$2.00
READY OCTOBER 15th.

Dwarf Growing Ferns For Dishes

We have grown a large quantity of small Ferns suitable for Fern dishes. The use of ferneries as ornaments for the dinner table is now very general. Nothing makes so fine an ornament or is so well adapted for the purpose.

Price, 12 cents each; six for 60 cents; \$1.10 per dozen.

CRYPTOMIUM FALCATUM (Holly Fern)—We consider this one of the finest Ferns in cultivation to grow into specimen plants, and while it is coarser than the *Tremula* Fern, it is very graceful and is becoming very popular. The leaf is a rich, glossy green, and each leaflet is about the shape and size of a Rose leaf. The fronds are fine for cutting on account of their lasting quality.

PTERIS WIMSETTI—Green leaves, with the ends very peculiarly twisted. It is one of the best varieties for Fern dishes, being a short, compact grower. Will stand much rough treatment.

ADIANTUM CUNEATUM (Maiden Hair Fern)—A very beautiful and graceful Fern, its delicate fronds being much used for cut flower work.

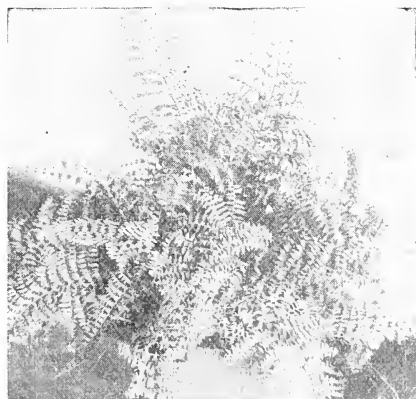
PTERIS CRETICA ALBA LINEATA—A very handsome Fern, nicely variegated, grows very rapidly into handsome plants.

PTERIS WILSONI—An ornamental Fern of unusual merit. One of the most dwarf of this class, having deep green foliage, leaves heavily crested, giving it the appearance of a tassel. A fine addition to the ornamental varieties.

MOSS FERN (*Selaginella Emiliana*)—An upright-growing moss with delicate lace-like foliage. Suitable for Fern dishes or for table and house decorations.

WATCH-EM-GROW PLANT FOOD

All plants, from a tiny blade of grass to a large tree will be benefited by drinking of this food. Price, 8 oz., can postpaid for 50c—will make 25 gallons.



Verona Fern



BOSTON SWORD FERN



French Hydrangea

SUPERB FRENCH HYDRANGEAS

FINEST VARIETIES

This species of Hydrangea is generally hardy in the South and throughout the Middle States with some protection during winter months, and here they will flower profusely from June to October. In our Northern States they will give better results when used as pot plants. The plants succeed better in a shady place than where it is too sunny, on which account they are valuable for house culture. The pot plants require a liberal supply of water during their season of growth and flowering. Price, Young plants, 20c each; Four for 75c. Large plants from 4 inch pots; 40c each; 4 for \$1.50.

E. G. HILL—This is one and the very best, and is by far the very best pink that we have yet tried; trusses of immense size. Color a most pleasing shade of baby pink that does not fade. Growth vigorous, foliage large and attractive. It is one of the easiest to force into bloom during the spring, coming into flower early.

GOLIATH—Very large and early dark rose, one of the best.

GERTRUDE GLAHN—Dark rose. Truss and florets very large. A new German variety of much promise.

LANCELOT—Brilliant carmine rose. Plants compact and free. Excellent forcer.

MME. E. MOILLERE—The early well-known white.

MOUSELINE—For many years the most dependable variety for blue coloring.

RUBIS—In some sections Rubis is considered the best of the darker varieties. Of good strong growth. Deep red.

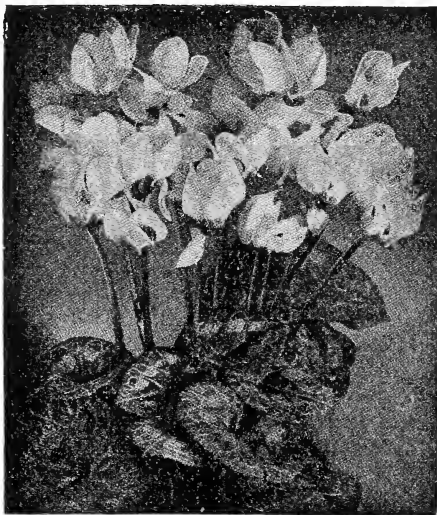
SOUVENIR DE MME. E. CHAUTARD—Early, free and hardy. A beautiful shade of rose-pink. This is the most satisfactory French variety for outdoor planting; reasonably hardy, and in addition blooms from new growth made in spring.

GIANT CYCLAMEN

These are among our most beautiful and interesting winter and spring-flowering plants for the window and greenhouse. Not only are the flowers of striking beauty, but the foliage is also highly ornamental. The flowers of fairy like form are carried on long stems. There are no plants better adapted for pot culture, and few that produce such a profusion of bloom. Most of them are delicately fragrant. The flowers of this magnificent giant strain are of extraordinary size for Cyclamen, and of great substance. The leaves are proportionately large and beautifully marked. We offer the following separate colors:

WHITE. **ROSE PINK.**
DARK RED. **SALMON.**

Plants from 4 inch pots, 65c each; 12 for \$6.50.



Cyclamen



SANSEVIERIA ZEILANICA

SNAKE PLANT

This beautiful house plant is well adapted for decoration of sitting rooms, halls, etc., as it stands dust and neglect of watering with impunity. Leaves grow to a length of from three to four feet, beautifully striped cross-wise with broad white variegations on a dark green ground. A rare and beautiful plant and should be abundantly grown for positions out of sunlight, where other plants do not thrive. Price, small plants, 20c each; six for \$1.00.

PEPEROMIA

Silver Striped—A Fine Table Plant.

So thick and waxy-like are the leaves of this parlor gem that nearly everyone takes it to be an artificial plant. The leaves are distinctly variegated white and green, and have the appearance of being powdered with frosted silver. Price, 20c each; six for \$1.00.

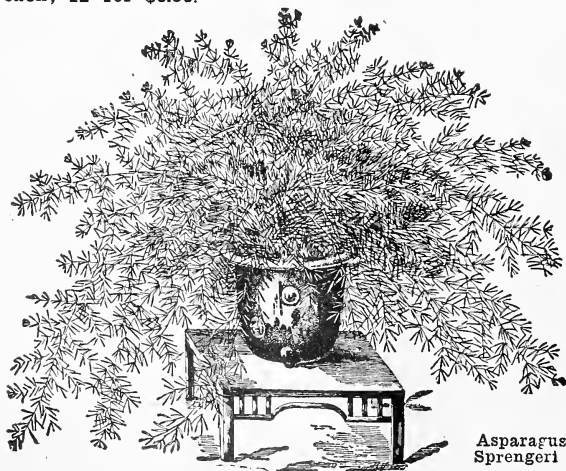
ASPARAGUS SPRENGERI

THE CHARMING DECORATIVE PLANT

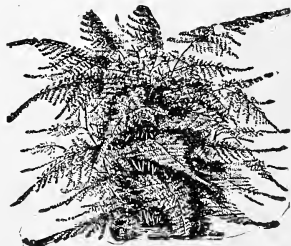
Not only is it useful for cutting in sprays for fine cut flower work, more particularly in connection with large Roses, etc., but grown in suspended pots, it makes one of the prettiest decorative house plants we know of. Used in decorations as for example in the decorations of mantels, nothing can equal it. Price, 15c each; three for 40c; large plants from four inch pots, 40c each; three for \$1.00.

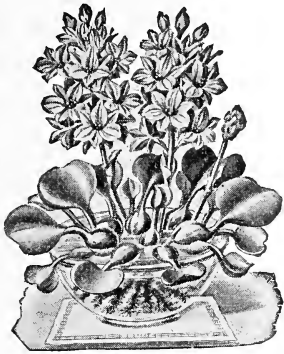
ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS

(Lace Fern)—One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality when cut is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing Maiden Hair Fern in grace, finest of texture and richness of color. Price, 15c each; three for 40c; large plants in four-inch pots, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00.



Asparagus Sprengeri





Water Hyacinth

ENGLISH IVY

(IVY CANARIENSIS)

An excellent variety for cultivation in the house, being a free grower with very beautiful broad, glossy green leaves. Should have good light and be watered sparingly. Price 25c each; 3 for 65c; \$2.50 per dozen. Larger plants, from 4 in. pots, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

FUCHSIAS

The secret of success with Fuchsias is to keep the plants properly watered and nourished to stimulate fresh, continuous growth and consequently flowers. This satisfactory result requires repeated repotting if plants are kept in pots, or if planted out, much mulching with cow manure and watering.

Price, 15c each; Two for 25c; 12 for \$1.50.

SINGLE FLOWERING

BLACK PRINCE—This is without question the very finest Single Fuchsia grown for the amateur to cultivate. It makes a shapely bush, is robust in growth, free from disease and insects and is probably the freest in blooming. Blossoms of a beautiful waxy-carmine or pink color. Certainly a plant of easy culture.

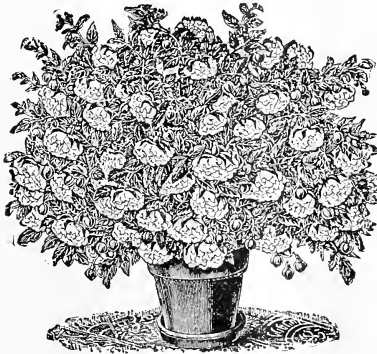
ERNEST RENAN—White sepals, reddish blue corolla.

LORD BYRON—A strikingly handsome variety with calyx of cochineal red, and large, single, corolla of deepest violet.

SPECIOSA—Well known variety, producing large flowers two inches in length, tubes and sepals of which are bluish, the corolla crimson. Some plants of this variety grown in eight or nine-inch pots will produce from 300 to 500 flowers from December to May.

DOUBLE FLOWERING

MADAME VAN DER STRASS—Very large and double, pure white corolla, beautiful, reflexed bright scarlet sepals. This variety is almost perfection.



Fuchsia Mme. Van Der Strass

WATER HYACINTH

THE MOST ODD, BEAUTIFUL AND VALUABLE PLANT FOR EASY GROWTH.

It forms a lovely rosette of its curious shining green leaves, and throws up spikes of the most exquisite flowers imaginable, resembling in form a spike of Hyacinth bloom. In the windows the most beautiful effect is produced by using a glass vessel of some sort, with shells and white sand so arranged as to conceal a small amount of soil, covered with three inches of water. In summer it can be grown in the yards in a pool or tub of soil and about three inches of water. Price, 15c each; three for 40c; 12 for \$1.50.

GODFREY EVER-BLOOMING CALLA

This new hybrid is a true ever-blooming variety. Compared with the ordinary white Calla, it gives three flowers to one, the flower being equally large, of perfect form and very much whiter. The plant is of dwarf, compact, strong growth, about eighteen inches high. Blooms best when roots are pot bound. Price, 20c each; six for \$1.00.

ORANGE-YELLOW CALLA

CALLA ELLIOTTIANA—This is the great new Yellow Calla of marvelous beauty. Flowers are very large, rich, deep orange, often four to five inches across the mouth; leaves are spotted with white. Handsome foliage, together with remarkable flowers. Price, large flowering bulbs, 30c each; three for 80c; \$3.00 per dozen, postpaid.

UMBRELLA PLANT

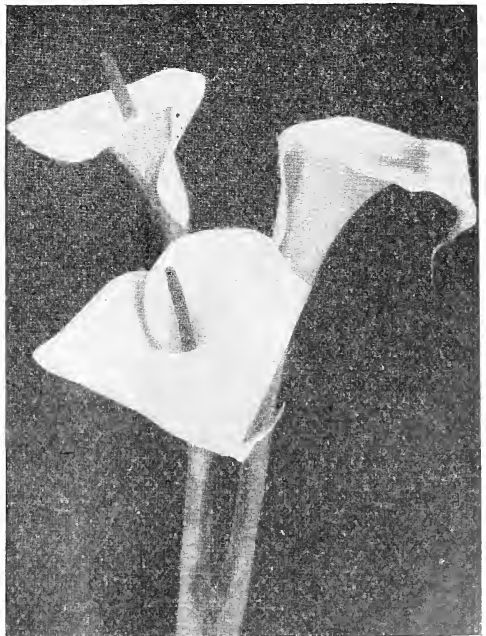
(**CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS**)—An ornamental grass throwing up stems about two feet high surrounded at the top with a whorl of leaves, diverging horizontally, giving it a very curious appearance. It is splendid for the center of vases or as a water plant. Price, 15c each; two for 25c.



English Ivy



Umbrella Plant



Godfrey Calla

POMEGRANATE

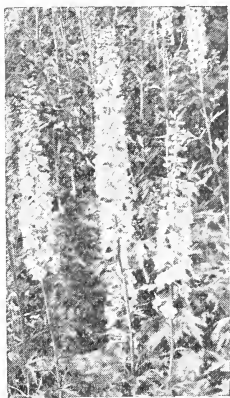
A splendid shrub, hardy as far north as Washington. A grand subject for the lawn, producing its large, showy, double orange scarlet flowers the entire summer. It is best grown in a large tub, and is easily wintered dormant in a cool cellar. Nice bushy plants, 30c each; 3 for 75c.

Hardy Perennial Plants OR OLD FASHIONED Garden Flowers

Autumn is the best time in the year for planting some hardy perennials. They get well established during the winter and are ready to start growth with the first sign of spring. The varieties listed below are among the most economical and satisfactory plants you can buy. They are perfectly hardy and last for years, and thus will save you time, labor and expense and afford a variety and succession of bloom unequalled.

ACHILLEA, *Boule de Neige*—One of the very best white flowered border plants, resembling *Pompon Chrysanthemums*. Flowers are borne in clustered heads and are fine for cutting. 15c each, \$1.50 per dozen.

CAMPANULA (*Blue Bells of Scotland*)—This is the true hare-bell or blue-bell famed in song and story, with beautiful clear blue flowers from June to August; grows about one foot high. We also have a pink *Campanula*. Price 15c each; Dozen, \$1.50.



Delphinium

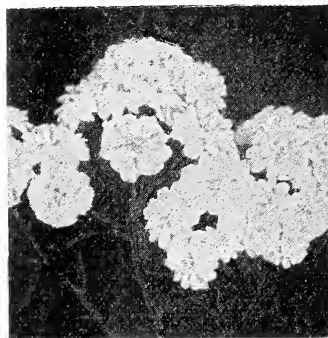
HARDY LARKSPUR (DELPHINIUM)

GOLD MEDAL STRAIN

The freest and most continuous blooming of all, never being out of flower from the end of June until cut down by hard frost. They include all shades of blue from the palest lavender to the deepest purple. Plants, price 20c each; three for 50c; \$2.00 per dozen.

AQUILEGIA OR COLUMBINE

New, large-flowering hybrids. The flowers of this new strain are greatly enlarged, and the range of colors and shades has been increased. They, of course, are hardy perennials, luxuriating in the more moist situations in the garden, where they form permanent clumps, growing from one and one-half to two feet high. The large, unique, long spurred flowers gracefully hung on long stems, are not only brilliantly effective on the plant but equally desirable when cut for vase and house decoration. Mixed colors, including red, white, pink and yellow. Price, 15c each; 12 for \$1.50.



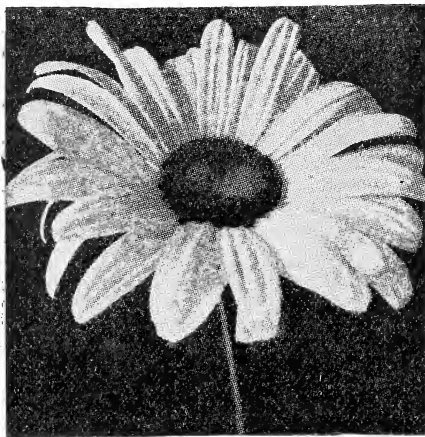
Achillea

DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS (BLEEDING HEART)

This the old time favorite tall Bleeding Heart, has been very scarce for past several years, but we are glad to have a fair stock of it for this season. These pretty spring bloomers, with their graceful drooping sprays of heart-shaped pink and white flowers, are very ornamental and bloom freely early in the season. The plants, being hardy, increase in size and bloom from year to year. Price 60c each; three for \$1.65.

DAISY

SHASTA—In growth the plants are as strong as a common field Daisy, very tall, well branched with fine cut foliage and huge white flowers borne in profusion on long stems. The flowers are pure white with gold center, petal very long and center soft and velvety. It is a very pretty hardy plant and one of the novelties that has come to stay. Price, 15c; \$1.50 per dozen.



Shasta Daisy

DIGITALIS (FOXGLOVE)

These are among the most satisfactory of our early summer flowering, hardy perennials, succeeding under almost all conditions, and with but trifling attention will give a wealth of flowers during July and Aug. They can be used with fine effect for naturalizing in shrubberies, the edge of woods or other half shady places.

We offer *Digitalis* in 2 distinct colors—Pink, and purple. Price 25c each; 3 for 40c; dozen, \$2.25.

GIANT SHIRLEY FOXGLOVES—6 to 7 feet high, with flower heads 3 feet or more long, crowded with bell-shaped florets. Colors range from white and shell pink to deepest rose, many attractively dotted with crimson and chocolate. Price, 30c each; 3 for 75c.

COREOPSIS (GOLDEN HARVEST)

The perfect strain of a long popular hardy plant. Flowers are rich golden-yellow, borne in profusion nearly the entire summer. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

HEMEROCALLIS FLAVA

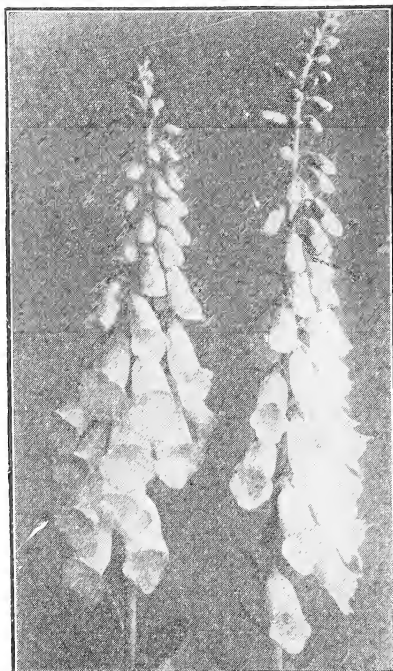
LEMON LILY—Few plants present a more striking appearance on the lawn or border than a large clump of this clear lemon-colored Lily, which is produced in the greatest profusion, lasting in flower a long time. Price, 20c each. Dozen, \$2.00.

FUNKIA SUBCORDATA GRANDIFLORA

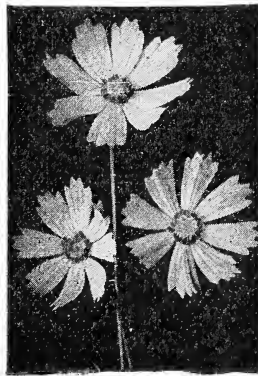
(The White Plantain or Day Lily)—Pure white lily-shaped fragrant flowers. Their broad massive foliage make them attractive even when not in flower. Price 20c; 6 for \$1.00.

FUNKIA MEDIO VARIEGATA

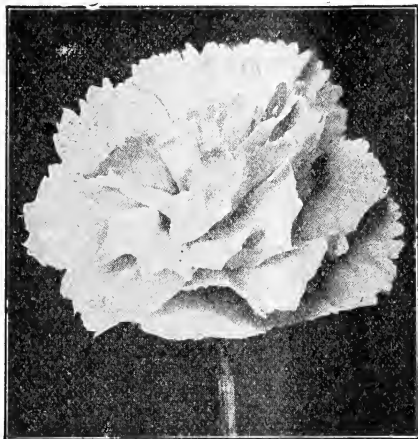
Green and white foliage with lavender flowers. Price, 25c; 6 for \$1.25.



Digitalis



Coreopsis



Crimson King Carnation

—A new type, having only one row of large fringed lilac-pink petals, tinting lavender with deep crimson center. Strong grower and particularly free flowering. Perfectly delicious fragrance; wonderful for massing and unequalled for cutting as the flowers stay fresh for days. Field grown, 25c each; 3 for 60c.

VIOLAS OR TUFTED PANSIES

Very popular bedding plants. While the flowers are not as large as Pansies, they continue in bloom throughout the entire season from early spring until late in the autumn, making them a valuable addition to any garden and especially desirable for mass effect. Price 10c each; 6 for 50c.

LYCHNIS

LAMP FLOWER (Arkwrightii)—A beautiful hybrid, producing an abundance of large brilliantly colored flowers ranging from crimson and scarlet to salmon and other shades. 1½ feet. 15c each; \$1.50 dozen.

SCABIOSA

DOUBLE BLUE—Handsome summer border plant producing its splendid flowers in greatest profusion from July until severe autumn frosts. Flowers are of compact rounded shape, long stems, making them ideal cut flowers which keep in water a week. The colors are both strong and dainty, equally enjoyable and effective in bouquets or the garden. 15c each; \$1.50 dozen.

GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA

BLANKET FLOWER—Flowers large, brightly colored and of perfect form. Blooms from June till October or November. Center of flower deep maroon, with petals of orange, crimson and red shaded into rings of color. Grows two feet high; one of the best for cutting. Price, 15c each; dozen, \$1.50.



Pyrethrum

PYRETHRUM

Too much cannot be said in favor of this grand hardy perennial which will thrive in any good garden soil where there is good drainage and full exposure to the sun. The main season of blooming is in June, but if the old flower stems are removed they will give a fair sprinkling of flowers in the autumn. Splendid for cutting, lasting a week in good condition. Shades of pink, white and crimson mixed. Price, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

DOUBLE HOLLYHOCKS

The flowers, which are as elegant in shape as a Camelia from perfect roses of the most lovely shades of crimson, yellow, pink, orange, white, etc. They require a deep, rich soil and will repay in quantity and beauty of bloom any extra care. We offer a fine assortment in separate colors of double pink, red, white and yellow. Price, 15c each; Dozen, \$1.50.

PLATYCODON GRANDIFLORUM

BUSH CLEMATIS—A free flowering plant covered with flowers that resemble somewhat the Clematis: two colors, blue and pure white. Price, 20c each; dozen, \$1.75.

SWEET WILLIAM

DIANTHUS BARBATUS—The Sweet William is a fine old plant which produces great masses of bloom of extremely rich and varied colors. The flowers are very lasting and fine for cutting. The plants offered are grown from the finest strain to be obtained in England, where hardy plants are universally grown and where new and improved varieties are constantly being produced. We offer pink and red. Good strong plants, 15c each; dozen, \$1.50.

HARDY EVER-BLOOMING CARNATION

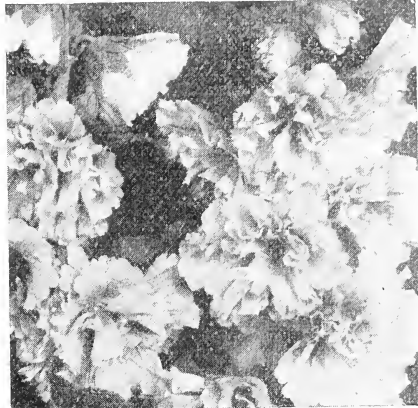
CRIMSON KING—A carnation that will live out in the garden during the winter. We have pleasure in offering this beautiful and most satisfactory plant. It is absolutely hardy, standing the Northern winters in the yard. It blooms all summer long, never a day that you cannot cut flowers. By potting up in the fall you can have flowers in the house all winter. The color is a rich crimson, the fragrance is delicious. Price, strong field grown plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

DOUBLE ENGLISH DAISY

Old fashioned edging plants, still largely used in gardens. Very dwarf; each plant producing a multitude of six inch stems, each crowned by a compact, double daisy-like flower. Fine for rockery. Pink and white. Price 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.

LINUM PERENNE

FLOWERING FLAX—Very desirable within dwarf perennial beds, very much at home in rockeries. The plant bushes up evenly about 18 to 24 inches with dainty glaucous foliage, the surface spangled with perfectly round, flat, solitary, azure-blue flowers from May to August. A fresh crop with each morning's dew. 15c each; \$1.50 dozen.



Double Hollyhock

THE WONDERFUL NEW VARIEGATED YUCCA

**EXCELLENT FOR GROWING AS A
SINGLE PLANT OR IN CLUMPS**

This plant is a strong and vigorous grower, free from all blights and insects, absolutely hardy, surviving our northern winters in the open field without any protection whatever. Will also survive hot-dry weather.

Price 2 year old plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

YUCCA FILAMENTOSA

(The old time Adams Needle)—Flowers during June and July make it an effective plant for all positions. Easy to grow, and with little care. Strong plants, 30c; three for 75c.

Sweet
William

DEUTZIAS

Price 12 to 18 inches, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen. 18 to 24 inches, 45c each; \$4.50 per dozen.

DEUTZIA CRENATA FLORA PLENA ROSEA—Four feet in height. Flowers double, of a pure white, beautifully tinged with rose.

GRACILIS—A charming shrub. Flowers white bell-shaped, delicately fringed and borne in such profusion as to cover the branches.

DEUTZIA LEMOINI—Without doubt one of the very best dwarf hardy shrubs; flowers very large and produced in cone-shaped heads of purest white, which open out very full.

HYDRANGEA

PANICULATA GRANDIFLORA—This is a grand plant, very showy and attractive, lasting in bloom for months. Without question the finest hardy shrub. Grows three to four feet high and is very bushy and compact. Blooms in July, at a time when no other shrub is in flower, and the flowers remain until destroyed by frost. The flowers are pure white, afterwards changing to pink; are borne in immense pyramidal clusters. Will bloom same season planted. Price, field-grown plants, 12 to 18 inches, 30c each; twelve for \$3.00. 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; twelve for \$5.00.

HYDRANGEA ARBORESCENS

Grandiflora Alba or "Hills of Snow." The Most Valuable Hardy Shrub.



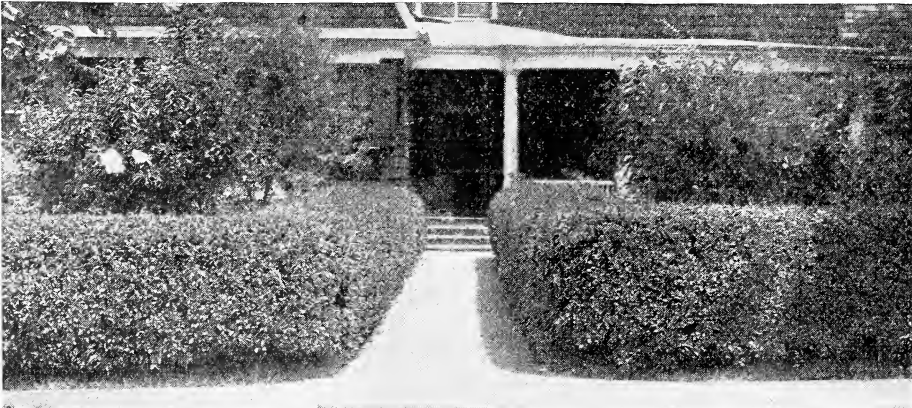
A grand addition to the summer flowering hardy shrubs; dwarfing the show of other sorts in July and August by the magnitude and profusion of its flower heads. The flowers are, in a large way, similar to the familiar "snowball" in appearance, and are so conspicuously white and imposing that whether as single specimens, as cut flowers, or in groupings, their presence is predominant. Price, field-grown plants, 12 to 18 inches, 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen. 18 to 24 inches, 50c each; 12 for \$5.00.

VIBURNUM (THE SNOWBALL)

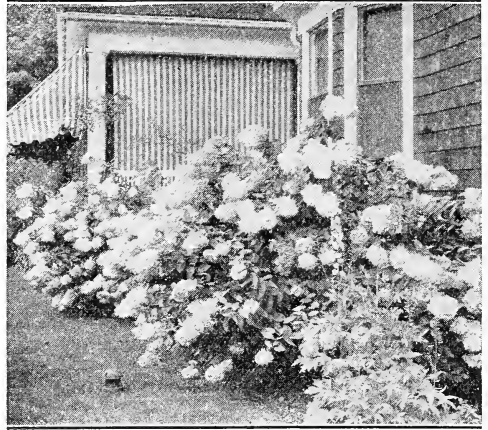
Masses of Snowballs give for spring the same showy effect produced by Hydrangeas in fall. They are all large, hardy, quick-growing shrubs valuable for screens, groups and specimens. The more showy specimens carry their flowers in balls. Price, 12 to 18 inches, 40c each.

AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII

This vine also goes under the name of "Japanese Ivy" and "Boston Ivy." It clings readily to any surface, where it will spread its fairy-like tracery of infinite small leaflets and the accompanying circular suckers by which it is attached. Its color, very bright in autumn, is delicate green in summer. Price, 30c each, 4 for \$1.00.



Ibolium Privet Hedge



Hydrangea, P. G.

CHINESE BLUE WISTARIA

This is one of the most popular of our hardy vines, growing very rapidly, climbing to a height of fifty feet or more. It flowers in early spring in long, drooping racemes, resembling in size and shape a bunch of grapes. Price, 25c each; 3 for 60c.

KERRIA JAPONICA FLORO-PLENO

GLOBE FLOWER—Very double rose like flowers which look like balls of gold. It blooms constantly throughout the season. An erect, rather tall grower and attractive beautifully cut foliage. Each 40c; 3 for \$1.00.

ORNAMENTAL HEDGE PLANTS

Hardy Privet and Barberry For Hedges, Screens, Fences

Autumn is a Good Season for Hedge Planting. Our Stock this year is extra fine, and is sure to please. Send your order now. Nothing adds so much to a home as a beautiful Hedge Fence. Plant ten inches apart. Makes a fence the day it is planted and will last a lifetime.

CALIFORNIA PRIVET

A quick, strong growing shrub, yet easy to control by use of shears or knife to any desired shape. Fine for hedges between city lots, on large rural grounds, parks, cemeteries, in single clumps or with other shrubs; also as screens to outbuildings, fences, etc. Easy to grow in all soils, even in partial shade; almost evergreen. Price by mail, 12 to 18 inches, \$1.25 per dozen, postpaid; 18 to 24 inches, \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid. Price, by express, 12 to 18 inches, \$5.00 per 100; 18 to 24 inches, \$6.50 per 100; 2 to 3 feet, \$8.50 per 100.

IBOLIUM PRIVET

The Ibolium Privet combines all the good qualities of the California Privet with perfect hardiness, making it the best Privet hedge plant on the market today; does well in all kinds of soil and in all kinds of locations, grows rapidly and is perfectly hardy. Price, plants 18 to 24 inches high, by mail, postpaid, \$1.75 per dozen. By express, 25 for \$2.00; 100 for \$7.00.

JAPAN BARBERRY THUNBERGII

Another very valuable hedge plant. Absolutely hardy.

Dwarf. Inimitably neat and dense of growth, yet graceful because of its drooping branches. Yellow flowers are followed by vivid scarlet fruits, the foliage changing in fall to scarlet and gold. Price, 12 to 18 inches, \$2.00 per dozen, postpaid. If sent by express, 12 to 18 inches, 25 for \$3.00, 100 for \$10.00; 18 to 24 inches, 25 for \$4.00, 100 for \$15.00.

Prices on Hedge Plants are extremely low. No extra can be allowed.

RED BARBERRY

Similar to Japanese Barberry, except the foliage is Rich Bronzy Red. The heat of summer intensifies its red brilliancy; autumn adding other tints to its richness. A sunny exposure is necessary to bring out and retain its full red color.

Price—Bushy plants, 8 to 10 inches, 25c each; 3 for 60c; 12 for \$2.50. Nice young plants from 2½ inch pots, 15c each; 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.50.

HARDY CLEMATIS

The crown of the roots should be set at least three inches below the surface of the soil. Spread roots well in planting. They delight in a rich, cool soil in an open, sunny position. Price, for pot grown plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25.

JACKMANI—The flowers when fully expanded are from four to six inches in diameter; intensely violet-purple, with a rich velvety appearance and distinctly veined.

HENRYI—Fine large creamy-white flowers. A strong grower and very hardy; one of the best white varieties; a perpetual bloomer.

MME. EDOUARD ANDRE—Large-flowering Red Clematis—A very unique variety; color a beautiful wine-red, large flowers with heavy petals; a fine contrast to the other sorts.

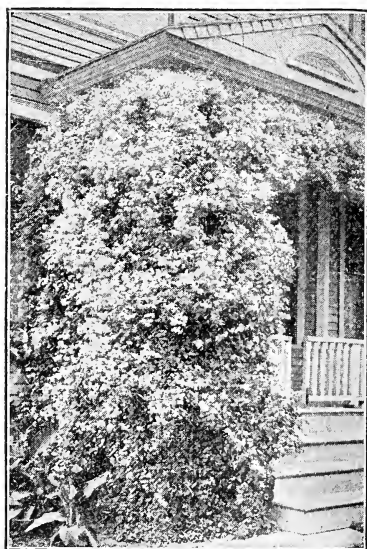
CLEMATIS PANICULATA

We cannot well say too much in praise of this vine. A clean thrifty, robust-growing vine of graceful habit, with attractive glossy foliage, covered in August and September with a sheet of clustered snow-white blooms of the most delicious fragrance. No other vine so completely covers itself with flowers. An arbor or portico over which this Clematis is trained is a wall of white for the time being and what makes it the more striking is that nearly all other vines have ceased blooming at that time. Perfectly hardy, grows rapidly. Price, field-grown plants, 25c each; three for 65c.

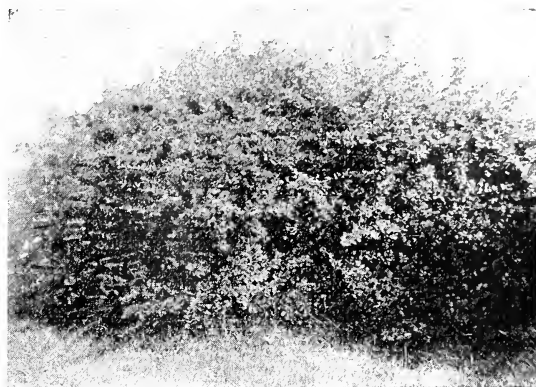
PHILADELPHUS

Mock Orange or Syringa

NEW PHILADELPHUS (Viginal)—One of the most beautiful new everblooming varieties. A vigorous, tall grower with very large double-crested flowers, with round petals. Pure white, sweetly scented, clusters of five to seven. Good strong plants, 18 to 24 inches, 40c each; three for \$1.00.



Clematis Paniculata



Red Barberry

**TRITOMA PFITZERI
RED HOT POKER.****FLAME FLOWER**

The flower spikes are of gigantic size, frequently four and one-half feet high, with heads of blooms over twelve inches long, of a rich orange-scarlet, shading to salmon-rose on edges. Price, 30c; three for 75c.

LILACS

As a decorative plant on the lawn or in the border, it is without a peer, and its pure white graceful plumes of sweetly fragrant flowers add grace and beauty to bouquets, vases, etc. As a cemetery plant it is without a rival. The varieties we offer are new and unusually fine. White and Purple. Price, 12 to 18 inch, 30c each, 2 for 50c; 18 to 24 inch, 50c; 2 for 80c.

TAMARIX

These plants are very beautiful all the year, in winter for their coloring of the bark and in summer for the light green, feathery foliage and large loose panicles of purplish flowers.

AFRICANA—Is an upright grower. Blooms in May. 18 to 24 in. 40c each; three for \$1.00.



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PUSSY WILLOW

A shrub or short trunked tree, foliage smooth, bright green above and whitish beneath.

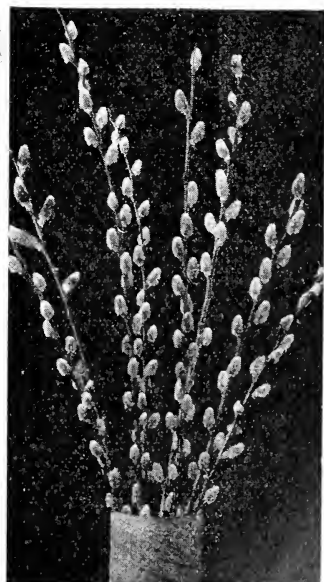
Worthy of more extended cultivation; thrives on dry ground. The bloom of the Pussy Willow is one of the earliest harbingers of Spring and is very interesting. Twigs may be taken from the bush in winter and if placed in vase of water, in the house, will soon open their buds. Price, field grown plants, 18 to 24 inch, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.

RED HARDY MARVEL MALLOW

A magnificent new strain of hardy Mallows, which for size and profusion of bloom and richness of coloring are among the most striking and beautiful perennials that grow. Flowers six to eight inches in diameter. Price, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00.

**EUONYMUS VEGETUS
(Evergreen Bittersweet)**

A beautiful large leaved evergreen shrub or vine. Will grow in either shady or sunny location. If planted near a wall, they make a low vine, and if planted in the open, they grow into a low spreading evergreen shrub. They bear orange colored berries in the autumn, just like the wild Bittersweet, but they hold their leaves all winter. Price, 2 year old plants 50c each; 6 for \$2.75; 12 for \$5.00.



Pussy Willow

WEIGELAS

Shrubs that bloom in July. Flowers produced in such great profusion as to almost entirely hide the foliage. Price, 12 to 18 inch, 30c each; twelve for \$3.00. 18 to 24 inch, 50c; twelve for \$5.00.

ROSEA—One of the most conspicuous shrubs that we cultivate, flowers pink. It is a dwarf grower and admirably adapted to small lawns or gardens.

EVA RATHKE—The finest Weigela in cultivation. A variety that is a remarkably free bloomer, flowering continuously throughout the summer and autumn; of an entirely distinct color, being a rich ruby-carmine, quite different from anything heretofore offered.

ALTHEA OR ROSE OF SHARON

Flowers of large size, bell-shaped double, full and of brilliant and striking colors, borne in great profusion in August and September; make beautiful ornamental hedges. Double rose, double white and double red. Price, 12 to 18 inches, 30c each; twelve for \$3.00; 18 to 24 inches, 45c each; twelve for \$4.50.

HEDGE ALTHEA OR ROSE OF SHARON

There is no plant today more useful or desirable for hedge purposes than the Althea or Rose of Sharon. It has all the good qualities of any other hedge plant, some that no other hedge plant has.

VERY HARDY

It will do well in nearly all locations, except in the extreme cold sections of the northern states. It is a sturdy grower and will flourish where many other shrubs would fail to grow.



Eva Rathke Weigela

BEAUTIFUL IN BLOOM

In season these shrubs are covered with beautiful flowers, some of them double, which range in color from Blue and Purple to Violet and Red, Flesh color and White. A hedge of Althea in bloom is a sight never to be forgotten. They remain in bloom from 4 to 6 weeks and its bright green foliage makes it a beautiful hedge either in or out of bloom.

Price, 18 to 24 inch plants, \$1.50 for 12; \$4.50 for 50; \$2.50 per 100; \$40.00 per 500; by express, not prepaid, Dozen by mail, postpaid, \$2.00.

HEDGE ALTHEA OFFERED ONLY IN SINGLE FLOWERING PLANTS—MIXED COLORS.

FORSYTHIA, GOLDEN BELLS

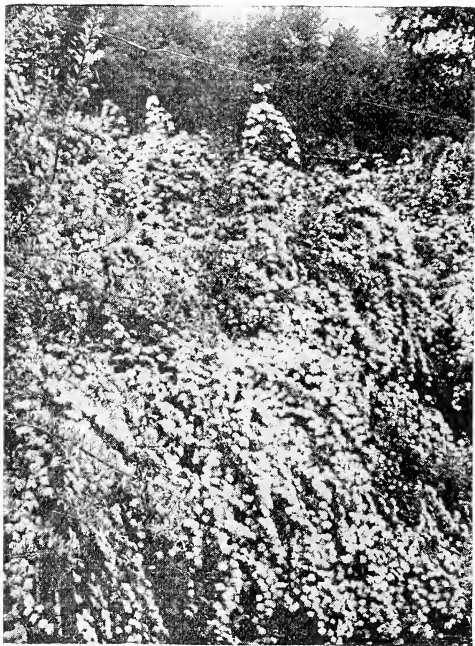
Symbol of the sunshine and showers of early Spring, no lawn or garden is quite complete without the Golden Bell. It is nature's way of announcing the arrival of Spring. The bright golden yellow, star-like flowers wrap themselves along the naked branches in a wealth of bloom that is especially bright and cheerful at such an early season. It is useful for almost any purpose, but indispensable it groups and masses. Price, 12 to 18 inch 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.; larger 18 to 24 inch, 45c; \$4.50 per dozen.

SPIREAS

VAN HOUTTII—The grandest of all white Spireas; it is of compact habit and a beautiful ornament for the lawn at any season, but when in flower it is a complete fountain of white bloom, the foliage hardly showing. Clusters of 20 to 30 white florets make up the racemes along the drooping stems. Price, 12 to 18 inch, 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.; 18 to 24 in., 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.

ANTHONY WATERER (Crimson Spirea)—It outshines all the Spireas in brilliancy of color; a bright crimson. It makes a low, compact bush 15 to 18 inches high, and is covered nearly the whole growing season with large umbels of deep crimson flowers. Price, 10 to 12 inch, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen; 12 to 15 inch, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.

THE NEW KOREAN SPIREA (Spirea Tricophylla)—A handsome shrub from Korea. Grows from 4 to 6 feet high and may be trimmed after flowering to any desired height. Abundant large white flowers produced in graceful racemes. We offer this beautiful new novelty at a very reasonable price. Fine field plants from 15 to 18 inch, 30c each; 12 for \$3.00.



Spirea Van Houttii

GIANT HARDY HIBISCUS

HARDY HIBISCUS "CRIMSON EYE"—(Dormant Roots) Flowers immense in size; color of the purest white, with a large spot of deep velvety crimson in the center of each flower. Will succeed anywhere and is perfectly hardy. Price, 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

HARDY PINK HIBISCUS—Beautiful pink flowers; deep red eye. Price, 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

SEDUMS (FOR ROCKERY)

An interesting and beautiful group of very hardy and drought resisting plants. Invaluable for their evergreen foliage and amazing profusion of tiny flowers. Fine plants, 20c each; \$2.00 doz. Set of the five varieties 90c; Two sets for \$1.75.

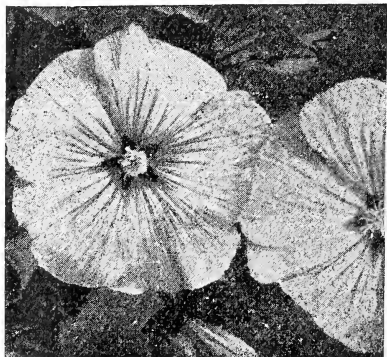
ACRE—Moss-like thick, round leaves of pleasing light green. Bright yellow flowers.

ALBUM—Very compact with thick waxy round foliage. White flowers.

STOLONIFERA—One of the most desirable; flat succulent leaves; flowers purplish-pink; July and August; 6 inches.

SPECTABILE—One of the prettiest erect growing species, attaining a height of 18 inches, with broad light green foliage and immense heads of handsome showy rose-colored flowers.

SEXANGULARE—Very dark green foliage; yellow flowers.



Giant Hardy Hibiscus

BEAUTY BUSH

(*KOLKWITZIA AMABILIS*)

Every succeeding year emphasizes the garden value of this plant for which the descriptive title of Beauty Bush has been aptly coined. It is a twiggly shrub, growing from 6 to 8 feet tall, with the inner stems erect or ascending and the outer ones arching to the ground, the whole plant forming a dome-shaped mass. The flowers are produced along the whole length of the branches in clusters at the ends of short, leafy shoots. They are tubular with a gaping mouth, deep pink without, stained with yellow-brown on the lower throat and lip. The graceful habit of the plant, its free-flowering qualities and pleasing color, combined with perfect hardiness, make this one of the most beautiful, as well as most useful, shrubs that China has given to the gardens of this country, and is destined to become one of the most familiar plants in our gardens. Will do well in full sunshine or partly



Beauty Bush

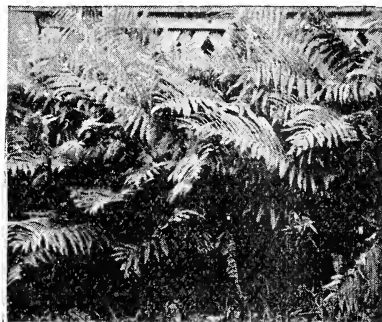
shaded locations. Nice young plants,

30c each; 6 for \$1.50; 12 for \$3.00.

HARDY FERNS

These are very useful for growing close to houses and in corners which are too shady for other plants.

Most ferns do best in a light soil containing much vegetable matter, and it is always best to work a considerable amount of leaf mould into the soil of a fern bed. While few ferns grow well in very dry soil, the common notion that they require very wet or almost swampy conditions is not well founded.



Hardy Ferns

Struthiopteris)—Growing in a crown, fronds 2 to 4 feet by 6 to 10 inches wide; a very erect, handsome



Flowering Almond

While the native ferns are, of course, perfectly hardy, most of them are better off with a light covering of leaves in winter. In their natural habitat, they are usually well covered with leaves and snow throughout the winter.

We offer only the most popular varieties. One each of the 3, postpaid, for \$1.00.

CHRISTMAS FERN—It is one of the very best species for growing as an individual specimen and ranks with the *Ostrich* and the *Osmundas* in size and vigorous beauty. Plant the crown level with the surface and if massed effects are desired, 12 inches apart. Each, 35c; twelve for \$3.50.

OSTRICH FERN—(*Oncoclea* fronds 2 to 4 feet by 6 to 10 species, graceful as a palm. Use lots peat and it will multiply by underground runners, especially so in moist sandy or peat soil. Plant crown level or one-fourth of an inch above surface and mulch in winter. Its vase-like masses of foliage are dark green and it is one of the tallest of our ferns and should be planted well back. Price, 35c each; twelve for \$3.50.

INTERRUPTED FERN—(*Osmunda Claytoniana*)—A large fern growing in a crown 2 to 3 feet high, 8 inches broad, clothed with rusty wool when young, very beautiful, cinnamon colored leaves. Does well under cultivation in high, shady or open places. Price, 40c each; twelve for \$4.00.

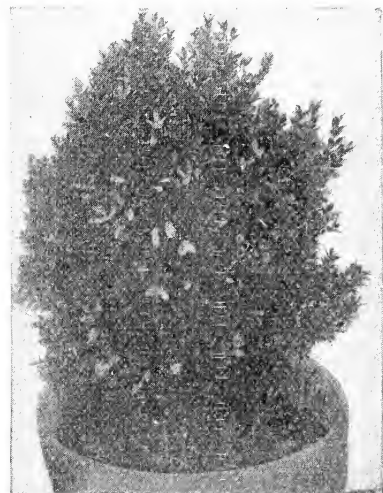
PLUMBAGO LARPENTAE

LADY LARPENT—This beautiful variety of *Plumbago* is unquestionably the most distinct and valuable hardy herbaceous plant now in cultivation. The plants are strong, upright in habit, growing to a height of twelve to fifteen inches in compact clumps, and from the middle of July until severe frosts are covered with rich, violet-blue colored flowers, borne in close terminal heads. The foliage is unique, finely serrated and fringing the stems. Price, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 12 for \$2.00.

FLOWERING ALMOND

PINK—A branching shrub two to four feet, with broad lanceolate, bright green leaves. Native of China and Japan. Flowers double, rose color and borne in great profusion in early spring. One of the first shrubs to flower. One of the best flowering shrubs and highly recommended. Price, 12 to 18 inches, 40c each; 2 for 75c.

WHITE—Same as the pink variety in growth and habit, but bearing white flowers. They should be planted together. Price, 12 to 18 inches, 40c each; 2 for 75c.



Boxwood

BOXWOOD

Used for boxes, edging and pyramids in various sizes. Its glossy leaves are always pleasing. They are long lived shrubs and many can be seen growing about old places which have stood perhaps several generations. Price, 10 to 12 inches, 65c each; 3 for \$1.75; \$6.50 per dozen.

HERBACEOUS
DOUBLE**GORGEOUS PEONIES**"Aristocrats of
the Flowers"

Great, gorgeous blossoms, daintily dyed with the most exquisite shades, from white to the deepest reds. They are deliciously fragrant. Bloom several weeks in the spring. Height 2 to 3 feet. Culture—They will grow anywhere reasonably speaking—though they do best in a rich, deep soil and a sunny position, but thrive well in partial shade. Plenty of water during the growing season is an added stimulus. They are perfectly hardy, require no protection, and are not troubled with insects or disease.

SPECIAL OFFER

One each of the twelve
named Gorgeous
Double Peonies
FOR \$8.50

UNNAMED**DOUBLE PEONIES**

We offer Peonies in Color, not
named, but all meritorious
kinds—Red, White and
Pink.

Price, 40c each; three for \$1.10.



ADOLPH ROUSSEAU—Early mid-season. Semi-double type. Very tall, strong grower, with erect, stiff stems and large perfectly-formed flowers. Dark velvety red with garnet hues and a distinct metallic reflex. Very fine for the garden and especially desirable for landscape effect. Price, \$1.00 each.

CANARI—Late. Globular bomb type. White guard petals tinted pale pink with center amber-white. Full rounded flower of good substance. Medium, tall. Price, 50c ea.

COURONNE D'OR—Semi-rose type; late. Immense, very full, imbricated flat flowers. Solid and compactly built; pure white, with a ring of yellow stamens around a tuft of center petals tipped carmine. Medium tall, robust grower, and very free bloomer. Price, 50c each.

EDULIS SUPERBA—Crown type; very early. Beautiful bright, clear mauve pink with silvery reflex. Decorative Day Peony. Price, 50c each.

FELIX CROUSSE—Bomb type. Late mid-season. Large flowers with prominent guard petals surrounding a large globular center of uniform coloring. Clear, brilliant ruby-red. Strong, vigorous grower and abundant bloomer. Perhaps the most popular of all reds for cut flowers and fine for landscape effect. Price, 75c each.

FESTIVA MAXIMA—This is not only the finest white in existence, but in most quarters it is regarded as the queen of all the Peonies. It combines enormous size with wondrous beauty, often seven to eight inches in diameter; color snow-white flecked with an occasional clear purple spot on edge of center petals; very fragrant. Price, 50c each.

GROVER CLEVELAND—Rose type; late. Very large and full dark crimson bloom. Strong, vigorous grower

with upright stems. Especially desirable on account of being practically the only late dark crimson. Price, \$1.00 each.

GERMAINE BIGOT—Crown type. Very large, compact flower composed of broad petals. Color lilac rose, center prominently flecked crimson. Strong, erect grower with medium tall stems. Very free blooming. Midseason. Price, 75c each.

MME. EMILE LEMOINE—Semi-rose type. Large, globular, compact flower. Color on first opening glossy white, overlaid with a sheen of tender satiny-pink covered with minute lilac dots. Tall, strong grower and free bloomer. One of the finest white varieties. Midseason. Price, \$1.00 each.

MONS. JULES ELI—Bomb type. Very large flower of ideal glossy shell-pink, shading to a deeper rose at the base, the entire flower overlaid with a sheen of silver. Very fragrant. Such a strong, vigorous grower that it will produce enormous flowers on one-year plants. Medium height, but very prolific bloomer. Early midseason. Price, \$1.00 each.

SARAH BERNHARDT—Semi-rose type; late midseason. Very large flower of perfect form, full and double with twisted imbricated petals. Color apple-blossom pink, with each petal silver tipped. Strong grower, free bloomer and very fragrant. One of the finest and most dependable Peonies ever produced, attracting attention in every garden. Price, \$1.50 each.

VENUS—Pale hydrangea-pink, collar lighter. Fragrance fine. Exquisite pointed buds opening into large compact flowers. Very fragrant. Tall, free bloomer. Midseason. Price, \$1.00 each.

Eight of the World's Best Peonies**SELECTED FOR THEIR RARITY AND SUPREME LOVELINESS**

ASA GRAY—Semi-rose type; midseason. Guard petals salmon flesh, center delicate lilac sprinkled with minute dots of deeper lilac. Each \$1.00.

BARONESS SCHROEDER—Rose type. Late mid-season. Flesh white fading to milk white. Immense globular flowers of perfect form, of great lasting substance, ideal for cutting. Tall, strong grower with rather light green foliage. Very free blooming with exquisite rose fragrance that is most appealing. Does fine in Southern localities. Each \$1.00.

CLAIRE DUBOIS—Late midseason. Large globular rose type. Long lacinated and incurved petals of uniform, clear violet-rose tipped silvery white. The immense soft pink flowers with an exquisite silvery sheen are strikingly beautiful. Each, \$1.25.

CHESTINE GOWDY—Crown type; late midseason. The broad outer petals are silvery pink. These enclose a zone of fine irregularly shaped petals of deep rich cream, which in turn surround a prominent cone of broad pink petals splashed and tipped with crimson. One of the best varieties for cut flowers. Each, \$1.00.

KARL ROSEFIELD—Semi-rose type; mid-season. Very large globular compact flower. Rich dark crimson in color. Very strong, tall, compact grower and free

bloomer. A brilliant and striking variety, attracting universal attention. Each \$1.00.

LORD KITCHENER—Rose type; very early. Color a brilliant cherry-red; a most dazzling hue. A free bloomer, strong grower. Each, \$1.50.

LADY ALEXANDRA DUFF—An immense cup-shaped flower of rose type with wide imbricated petals. The color of the outer petals is delicate blush pink rapidly fading to lovely French white. Central flower of rather flattened circular form and the central petals have a touch of carmine. Lateral buds come in semi-double, water-lily-like flowers, exposing the anthers. Showy, fragrant and very prolific. Robust, strong grower, thriving in all sections. Each \$1.50.

SUZETTE—Large, loose semi-rose type. Color deep bengal-rose shaded carmine, with a silvery reflex. Very free bloomer in mid-season on perfectly erect stems. Growth is ideal and is unsurpassed for landscape effect. Each, \$1.00.

EXTRAORDINARY OFFER—This set of 8 "World's Best" Peonies at price per single plant would cost you \$9.25, but we will send you one each of the eight varieties for \$8.00. You surely will be pleased.

GERMAN IRIS

Price, 25c each, 6 for \$1.25, postpaid; \$15.00 per 100 by express.

Blooms earlier than Japan Iris. This variety is the true "Fleur de Lis", the national flower of France. They are perfectly hardy, thrive anywhere, deliciously fragrant and fine for cutting.

AZURE—Standards lavender blue; falls deep blue purple. The general effect is one of rich clear blue.

AFTERGLOW—Large flowers of soft grayish lavender shading to pinard yellow through the center. A thrifty grower and dependable bloomer.

CAPRICE—Rosy red purple flowers of broad segments and fine form. A thrifty grower and dependable bloomer.

IRIS KING—Standards a clouded yellow; falls rich velvety maroon, bordered-yellow.

MA MIE—Standards and falls clear white frilled violet blue.

RHEIN NIXE—Standards white; falls purple violet bordered white. The tallest of the white and purple Iris. Very strong grower and a good variety.

TWELVE EXCEPTIONALLY FINE VARIETIES

Selected From Ones That Have Been Most Admired by Iris Fanciers.

ALCAZAR—Light bluish violet, and deep purple, bronze veined at the throat. Four feet. Each 25c.

AMBASSADEUR—S. Dull purplish bronze. F. Deep velvety maroon. Beards and styles yellow. 4 ft. Each 50c.

DREAM (Sturtevant 1918)—A clear even pink pallida type. Very charming and popular. 36 in. Each 35c.

GOLD IMPERIAL (Sturtevant 1924)—Chrome yellow throughout except for orange beard, it has rare finish of texture and form. 33 in. Each \$1.00.

LENT A. WILLIAMSON—Lavender-violet and velvety pansy purple. One of the best. 42 inches. Each, 50c.

MOTHER OF PEARL (Sturtevant 1921)—Pale bluish lavender of exceptional substance and texture. 4 ft. Each 35c.

OPERA (Vilmorin 1916)—S. Reddish lilac. F. purple violet, dark and velvety. Early. 28 in. Each, 50c.



German Iris

PRINCESS BEATRICE—Blue-violet to light lavender-violet and pale bluish violet to lavender, veined sulphur yellow on broad haft. Each 50c.

PROSPERO—Pale lavender flushed with yellow, and deep ruby purple, shading lighter at the margin. Particularly handsome. Each, \$1.00.

QUEEN CATERINA (Sturtevant 1917)—A large iridescent pale lavender violet with yellow beard. The best all around iris in this color. Large and vigorous. 3 ft. Each 25c.

SEMINOLE—Dark violet rose and rich velvety crimson. Brilliant orange beard. 2 feet. Each 50c.

SHEKINAH—Beautiful soft yellow. Pallida type. 3 feet. Each 50c.

JAPAN IRIS

(IRIS KAEMPFERI)

The magnificence of Japanese Irises is such that no written description gives them justice. They flower from late June to August 5th, in this latitude.

Price, 35c each, six for \$2.00, postpaid.

ASTARTE—Dark violet.

GEKKO-NO-NAMI—Large white.

IPHIGENIE—Deep Chinese lilac.

MAHOGANY—Mahogany red.

PURPLE AND GOLD—Violet purple.

UCHUI—Largest double, sky-blue golden center.

SPECIAL BARGAIN OFFER OF TWELVE COLORFUL IRISES

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Magnificent Varieties, Our Selection Delivered to you for only \$1.00

PLANT NOW FOR GORGEOUS EFFECTS NEXT SPRING

This offer will acquaint you with these glorious flowers and enable you to enjoy gorgeous blooms next spring and many seasons to come. Quality Plants including one Dream, which will be labeled, will be furnished.

NO PREMIUMS OR EXTRAS ALLOWED ON THIS OFFER

Seven Best Hardy Lilies for Summer Blooming

ONE EACH OF THESE SEVEN GRAND LILIES FOR \$2.25

AURATUM (The Golden Rayed Lily)—This grand summer flowering sort is now considered Queen of Lilies. It produces its handsome richly colored flowers in large clusters, and blooms profusely. When expanded, flowers measure from eight to ten inches in diameter; are composed of six pure white petals, each of which is distinctly striped the whole length with a clear yellow-golden band and thickly studded with crimson spots. Gracefully formed, deliciously fragrant. Large sound bulbs, imported direct from Japan, price 40c each; dozen for \$4.00.

SPECIOSUM ALBUM—Among the showiest of all Lilies and perhaps the most robust and the most radiantly beautiful. Very fragrant and hardy, with broad, flat stems and immense heads of beautiful white flowers—often fifty flowers in a cluster. Price, 60c each; dozen \$6.00.

LONGIFLORUM GIGANTEUM—Japan grown. Widely used for Easter holidays. Its flowers have more substance and last longer in bloom than the Bermuda Lily. Quite hardy and beautiful in the open ground, blooming in June and July. Flowers snow-white and trumpet-shaped; very fragrant. Price 40c each; dozen \$4.00.

DOUBLE TIGER—(Tigrinum fl. pl.)—This magnificent Lily is borne in immense clusters on tall stems; the flowers are very large, frequently six inches across, and very double; color deep fiery-red, spotted with black. Price, 30c each; three for 75c.

SPECIOSUM RUBRUM—One of the most popular and satisfactory of all Lilies; is considered by many as the finest of all Lilies. Flowers are bright crimson and white spotted. Splendid large flowers, borne in clusters; stem two to three feet. Price, 40c each; dozen \$4.00.

ELEGANS RED—Beautiful vermillion, with a few black spots; overspread with a bright lustre; petals broad and somewhat rounded. Beautifully formed. Price, 40c each; dozen, \$4.00.

HARDY REGAL OR ROYAL LILY—The outside of the flower is white, very faintly tinged with yellow at the base of the trumpet, and with pink at the point. The mid-ribs are purple. The inside shows a bright canary-yellow deep in the throat, shading to pure white. Regal lily bulbs are smaller than other varieties. Price, 35c each; 12 for \$3.50.

CHOICE FLOWER SEEDS

FOR FALL PLANTING

FOR GARDEN, PARLOR, CONSERVATORY AND GREENHOUSE

On this page we give a list of seeds of the easiest grown and best Hardy Perennials which are now so deservedly popular. Sown this fall in a cold frame or protected corner of the garden, you can have, with little trouble, an abundant supply of Columbine, Canterbury Bells, Foxgloves, Gaillardias, Hollyhocks, Larkspurs, Forget-me-Nots, Daisies, Sweet Williams, etc., for flowering next year. The list also includes a choice selection of other Flower Seeds for autumn sowing to produce blooming house plants during winter and spring. Any six 10c packets for 50c; three for 25c.

ANTIRRHINUM—(Snapdragon)—A showy and useful plant and is fast becoming one of our most popular flowers; useful for beds or borders and is also extensively grown under glass for cutting during the winter. Price, tall mixed, per packet, 10c; dwarf mixed, per packet, 10c.

ACHILLEA, THE PEARL—One of the best hardy white perennials in the list. Per packet, 15c.

ALLEGHENY VINE—Mountain Fringe or Adlumia Cirrhosa)—This is a hardy climbing plant, native of the Allegheny Mountains; very attractive and picturesque; dainty, feathery, pale green foliage, flowers delicate rosy-pink and white. Per packet, 15c.

ANEMONE—(Windflower)—A very pleasing, hardy perennial; easily grown from seed; mixed colors; double. Per packet, 10c.

ASTERS, PERENNIAL MIXED—Single-flowering, hardy herbaceous plant; thriving in any good garden soil. Per packet, 10c.

CALLIOPSIS, LANCEOLATA GRANDIFLORA (Harvest Moon)—One of the grandest perennial plants. Fine in masses, or as cut flowers. The individual blooms are very large and of the richest golden-yellow. Per packet, 10c.

CANDYTUFT, IBERIS—Extra fine for cemetery use, as plants are a solid mass of white at just the time when flowers are most scarce. Per packet, 10c.

CALIFORNIA POPPY (Eschscholzia)—Mixed, single cup-shaped flowers in shades of bright yellow, deep orange and silvery-white. Sow in fall where wanted. Per packet, 10c.

CAMPANULA—Mixture of perennial sorts. Per packet, 10c.

CENTAUREA GYMNOCARPA—Silvery-gray foliage; drooping habit; very graceful. Per packet, 10c.

CARNATIONS, CHABAUD'S PERPETUAL—Raised by a famous French specialist; blooms in five months after being sown and continues to flower in the greatest profusion indefinitely. Per packet, 10c.

COLUMBINE, MIXED DOUBLE—Hardy Perennial, best and finest colors. Per packet, 10c.

DIANTHUS PLUMARIUS, fl. pl.—Hardy Perennial, sweet-scented garden pinks. Double mixed. Per packet, 10c.

DIGITALIS, OR FOX GLOVE—Hardy perennial of easy culture, producing long spikes of large, showy, tubular flowers of various colors, some spotted, blotched, etc.; three to five feet high. Mixed colors, 10c.

DOUBLE DAISY, SNOWBALL—Large double white, with long stems, fine for cutting. Per packet, 15c.

DOUBLE DAISY, GIANT DOUBLE MIXED—Extra fine. Packet, 10c.

FEVERFEW—(Double White). Per packet, 10c.

FORGET-ME-NOT—(Myosotis)—Blue flowers with small yellowish eyes. Seed sown in autumn will flower early in spring. Hardy perennial. Per packet, 8c.

GAILLARDIA GRANDIFLORA SUPERBA—Very large flowers, dark crimson centers, marked with rings of many brilliant colors. Per packet, 10c.

GERANIUM ZONALE VARIETIES—Several from some of the finest collections and many choice and even new varieties may be expected. Per packet, 20c.

HELIOTROPE, MIXED—Very fragrant, splendid for pot culture. Per packet, 10c.

NEW HELIOTROPE, LEMOINE'S GIANT HYBRIDS—Per packet, 10c.

HOLLYHOCKS, DOUBLE—Seeds should be sown in early fall to have flowering plants the next summer; or, if sown in the house early in the spring, they will bloom the first year.

CHARTIER'S IMPROVED DOUBLE WHITE—Packet, 15c.

CHARTIER'S IMPROVED DOUBLE ROSE—Packet, 10c.

CHARTIER'S IMPROVED DOUBLE CARMINE—Packet, 10c.

CHARTIER'S IMPROVED DOUBLE SULPHUR YELLOW—Packet, 10c.

ONE PACKET EACH OF THE FOUR COLORS, 35c ALL COLORS MIXED—PACKET 10c.

LARKSPUR—Large flowered Gold Medal Hybrids. Packet, 10c.

LATHYRUS (Everlasting or Hardy Sweet Pea)—Showy, free-flowering hardy perennial climbers for covering old stumps, fences, etc.; continually in bloom; fine for cutting. Red, White and Mixed, per packet, 10c.

LEMON VERBENA—The leaves are delightfully fragrant and refreshing. It grows easily from seed, and lives from year to year. Per packet, 10c.

MIGNONETTE, SWEET—Seeds sown in fall bloom early in spring. Per packet, 8c.

NASTURTIUM, DWARF MIXED—Many colors. Per packet, 10c; ounce, 20c.

NASTURTIUM, DWARF MIXED—Many colors. Per packet, 10c; ounce, 20c.

NASTURTIUM, TALL MIXED—Many colors. Per packet, 10c; ounce, 20c.

NICOTIANA AFFINIS—Fall sown seedlings make excellent pot plants for the window. Per packet, 10c.

PRIMROSES—CHINESE FRINGED

CHOICEST MIXED—This mixture contains nothing but the finest sorts and cannot fail to give entire satisfaction. Per packet, 25c.

HARDY PRIMROSES

AURICULA—Richly-colored, fragrant flowers. Per packet, 10c.

ENGLISH COWSLIP—Yellow. Per packet, 10c.

VULGARIS (English Primrose)—This is the pale yellow, sweet-scented variety; six inches. Packet, 10c.

BEDDING PANSIES

A selection for bedding purposes, large flowers of good substance. Per packet, 10c; any six packets, 50c.

FINE MIXED BEDDING PANSIES—Per packet 8c.

ENGLISH, EXTRA CHOICE MIXED—From a splendid English collection of the largest-flowering varieties. Per packet, 10c.

GIANT TRIMARDEAU—Largest of all. The blossoms are simply enormous, perfect in form, and run through all the various colors, from the lightest shade to the darkest purple. Per packet, 10c.

INTERNATIONAL MIXTURE—Per packet, 10c.

MIXTURE OF SCARLET AND RED—Per packet, 10c.

TUFTED PANSIES (Viola Cornuta)—Mixed, 10c.

POPPIES, PERENNIAL MIXED—These Poppies produce flowers the first year from seed. The colors range from the purest white to the deepest orange-scarlet. Per packet, 10c.

SWEET PEAS, SPENCER HYBRIDS, MIXED—This mixture contains an equal proportion of colors of the Countess of Spencer hybrids, and is one of the most superb combinations ever offered in a catalogue. Packet, 10c; ounce, 20c; ¼ lb., 65c.

SWEET WILLIAM—Single Mixed—Rich flowers. Per packet, 10c.

SWEET WILLIAM, Double Mixed—Very attractive and effective. Per packet, 15c.

VALERIANA—Hardy Heliotrope. Per packet, 10c.

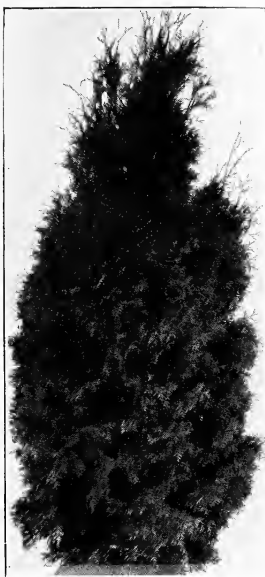
WILD CUCUMBER VINE, ECHINOCYSTIS LOBATA—One of the quickest growing vines we know of; splendid for covering old trees, fences, etc. Plant seed in November. Per packet, 8c.

LOW PRICED EVERGREENS

Evergreens have a place all their own. There are hardly any two of the same color, and with a few exceptions, those colors do not vary much the year round—unless the color is lighter in the spring when new growth is made. A few assume attractive bronzy tones in fall, and impart a feeling of substantial desirability to a home or garden surrounded by them, or in which they are freely used. For foundation plantings, covering banks, walls and other objects they are extremely useful.

PRICE—Plants here offered are from 15 to 18 inches high, and we are making the low price of \$1.35 each, by mail. The four for \$4.50.

THIS LIST CANCELS ALL PREVIOUS OFFERS



Pyramid Arborvitae

ARBORVITAE, GLOBOSA

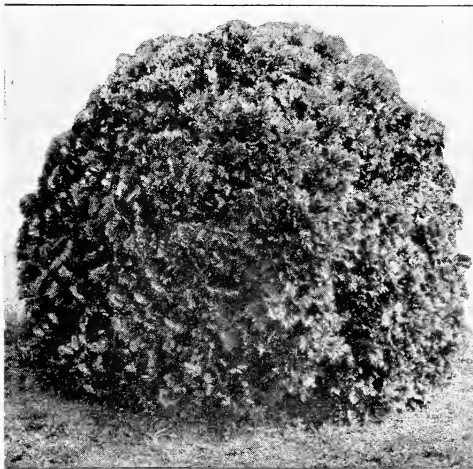
—Forms a dense, low globe of a handsome shade of green. Useful in low foundation plantings, or bordering high growing evergreens, and unsurpassed where a low, dense hedge is desired.

ARBORVITAE, PYRAMIDALIS

—Distinct columnar growth. Is very densely branched with foliage of a glossy green shade. Valuable for groupings, background, hedges, planted as single specimens, or in pairs; in fact at home in any planting, adding beauty and charm to any situation.

JUNIPER PFITZERIANA

—An evergreen which grows upward and outward, with a graceful droop at the tips. It is impossible to describe its color accurately because of its many shadings, but it has the appearance of deep rich green with traces of blue and gray shadows. Makes a noble appearance.



Arborvitae Globosa

BIOTA AUREA NANA—We believe this to be the best dwarfish evergreen in cultivation. It is a compact grower with yellow foliage, always shapely and one of the most popular evergreens we have. For lawns, either singly or in groups, borders or banking in front of porches, where small growing sorts are wanted, we know of no other variety so desirable as this splendid sort. It should not be overlooked in the smallest planting, as they are a most satisfactory variety.

SMALL SIZED EVERGREENS

Small size—6 to 8 inches high

Price 35c each; the five for \$1.50.

ARBORVITAE SPIRALIS—Compact, erect, thick dark green, spiral-growing foliage. Needs no trimming to make a shapely plant. One of the best.

SIBERIAN ARBORVITAE—A hardy variety with bluish-green foliage. Of low, stocky pyramidal growth, forming a broad, dense bushy effect. At home in all plantings, its rugged appearance adding a touch all its own.

ARBORVITAE PYRAMIDALIS—A most compact and erect sort. In erect form, it almost equals the Pyramidal Juniper. Foliage deep green retaining its color throughout the year. Is called spiral shaped. Fine for tub, porch or special plantings.

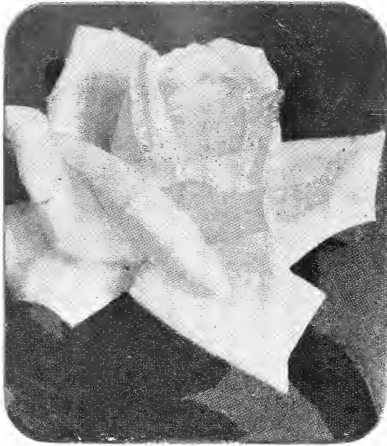
RETINISPORA PLUMOSA AUREA—A compact tree of regular outline. Foliage plummy and graceful, tinged with a golden hue, which makes it a very striking and beautiful evergreen.

ARBORVITAE GLOBOSA—A dense, thick evergreen of dwarf habit. Grows naturally round like a ball and one of the best varieties, used in all plantings, and especially suited for tubs or box-planting or corners or outer edges and groupings.



Retinispora Plumosa

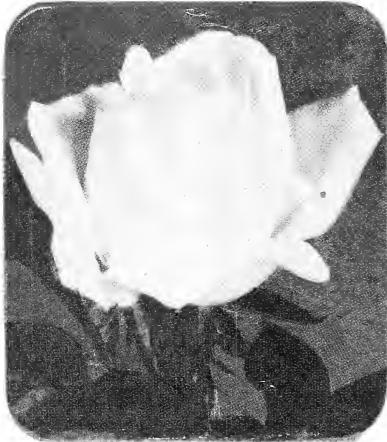
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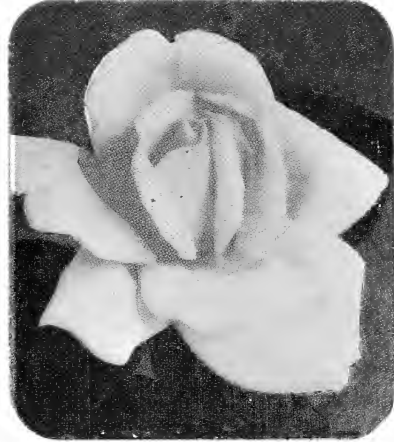
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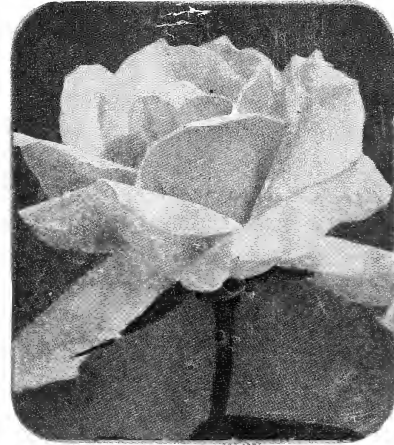
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Red Radiance



Pink Radiance

All are Hybrid Teas—Hardy Everbloomers. Price—The full set of six—
in nice small plants \$1.00. Two year old plants from 4 inch pots—Set
of six for \$2.00

For full description see pages 6 and 7